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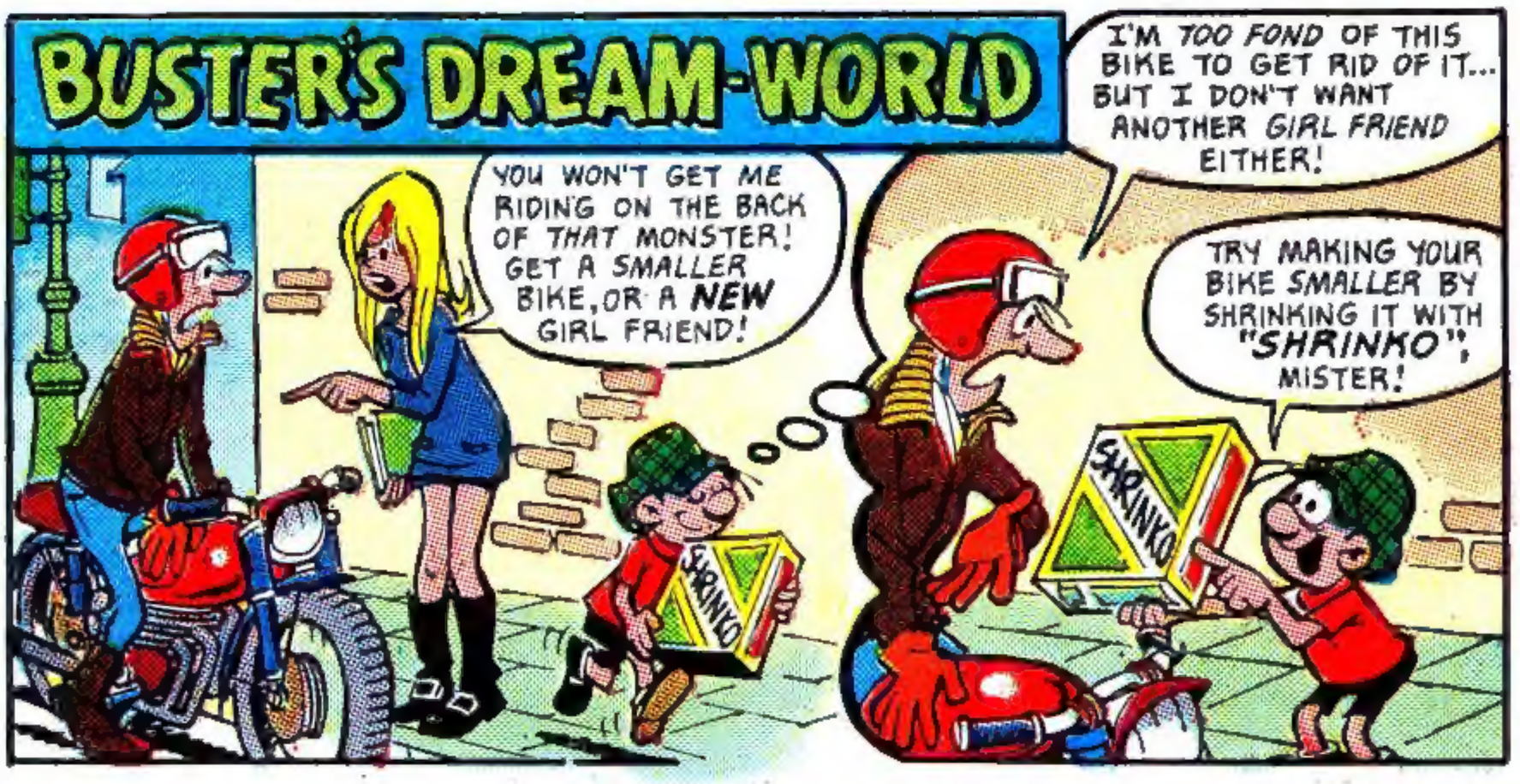

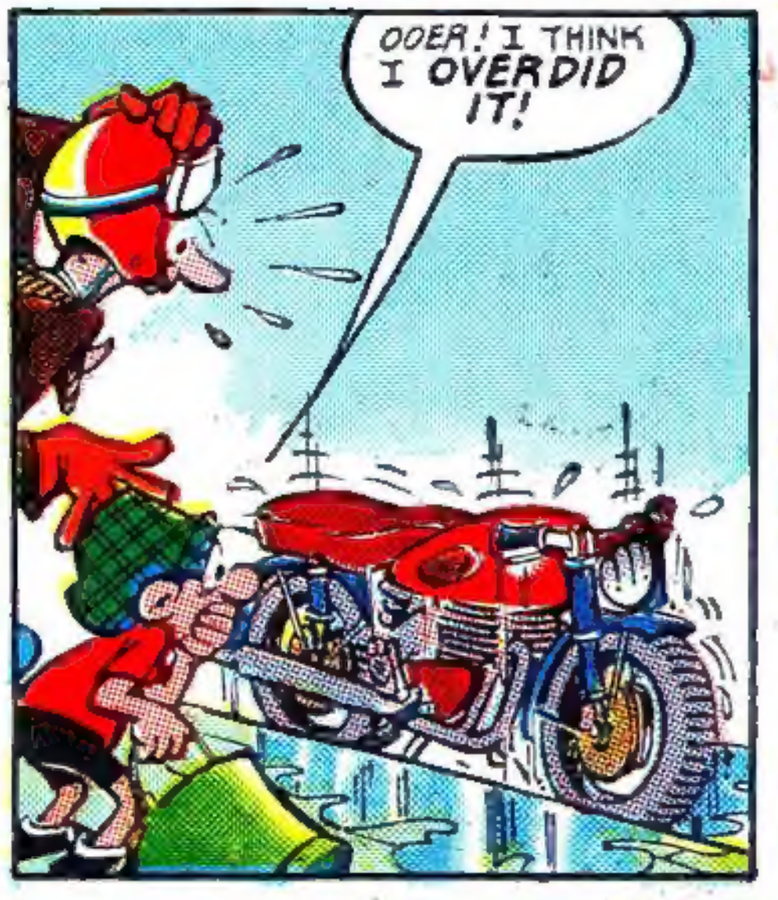

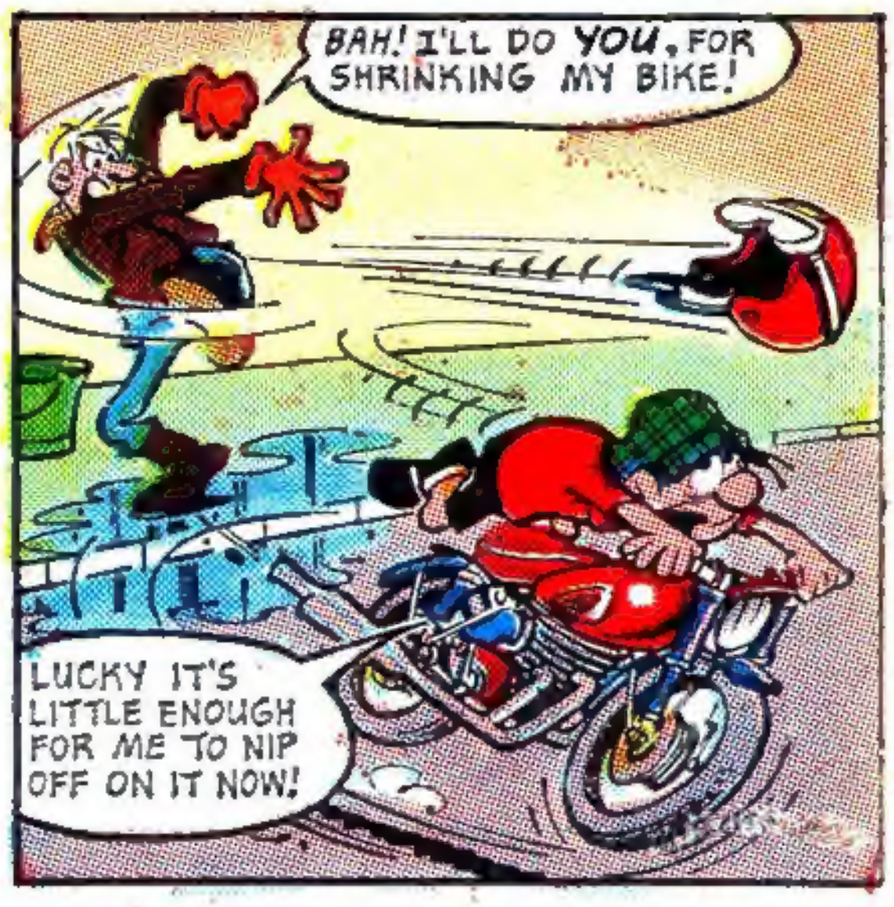

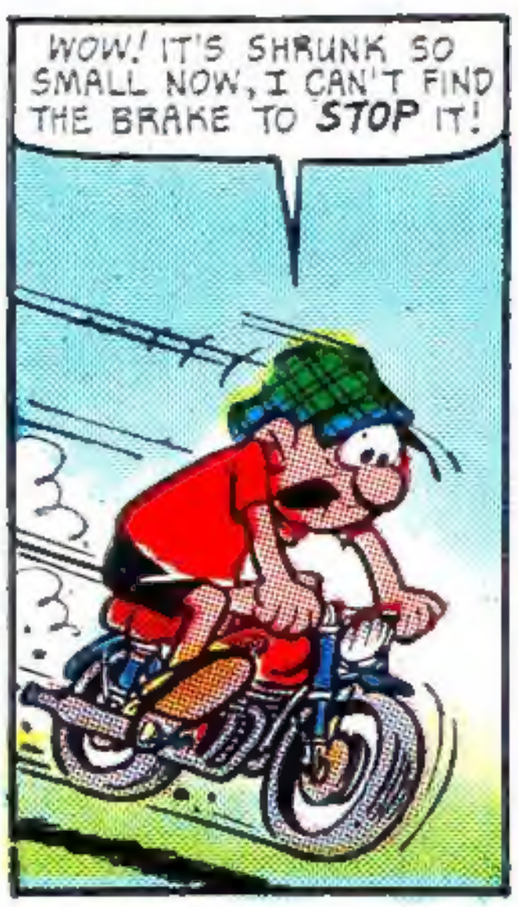

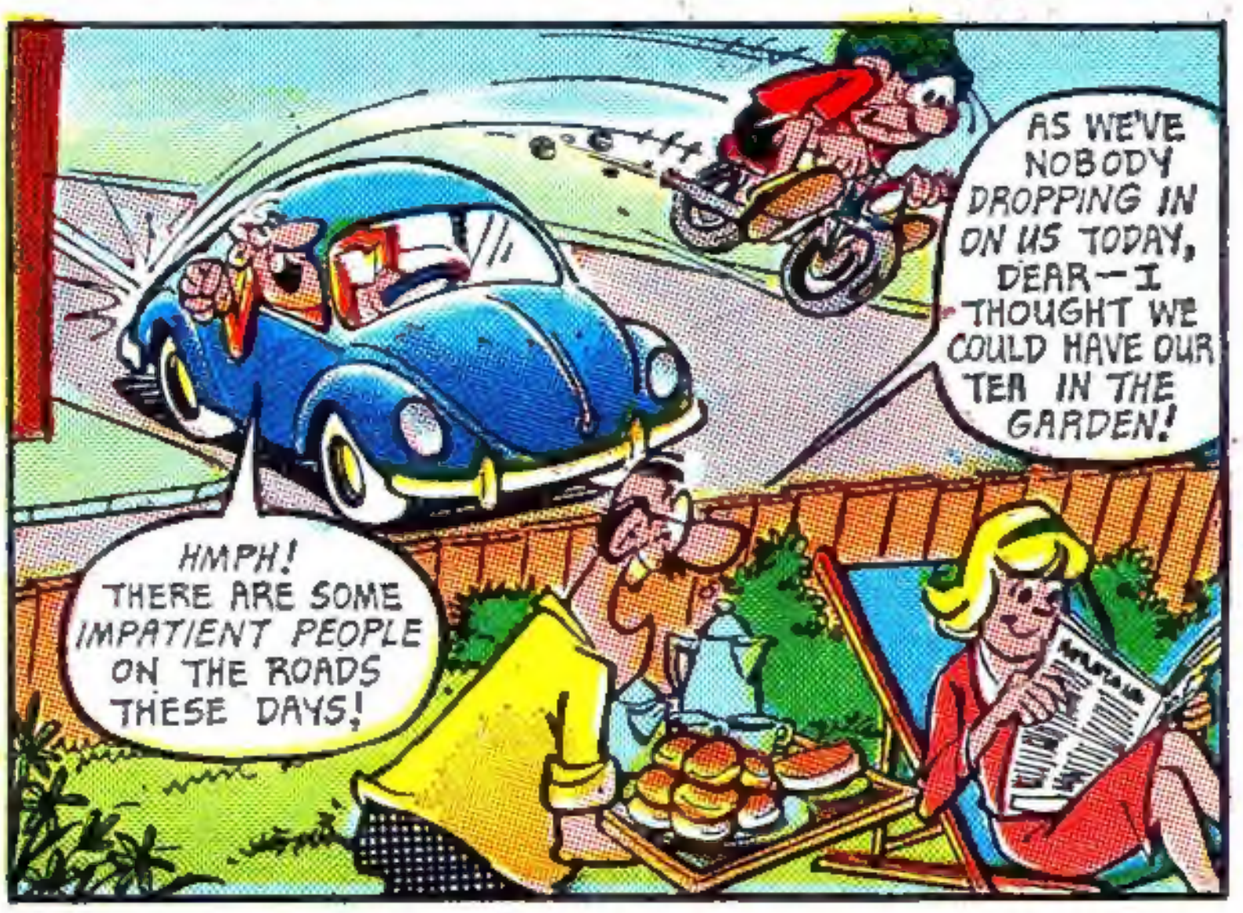

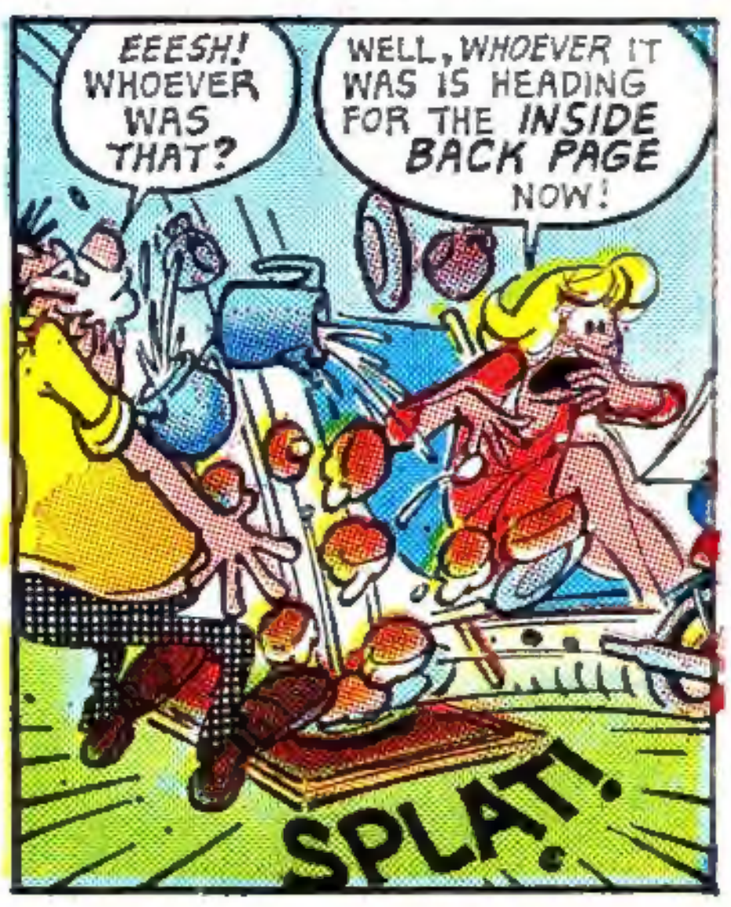

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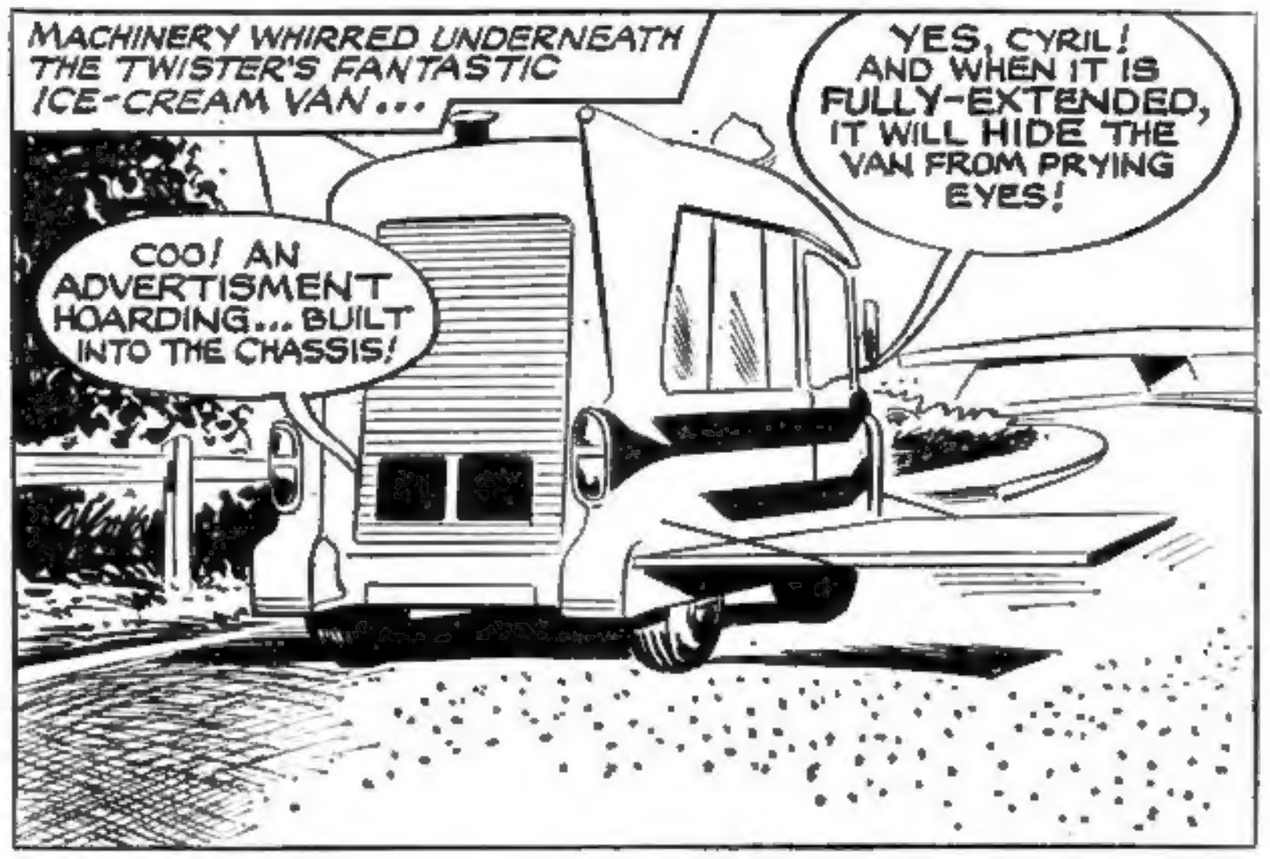

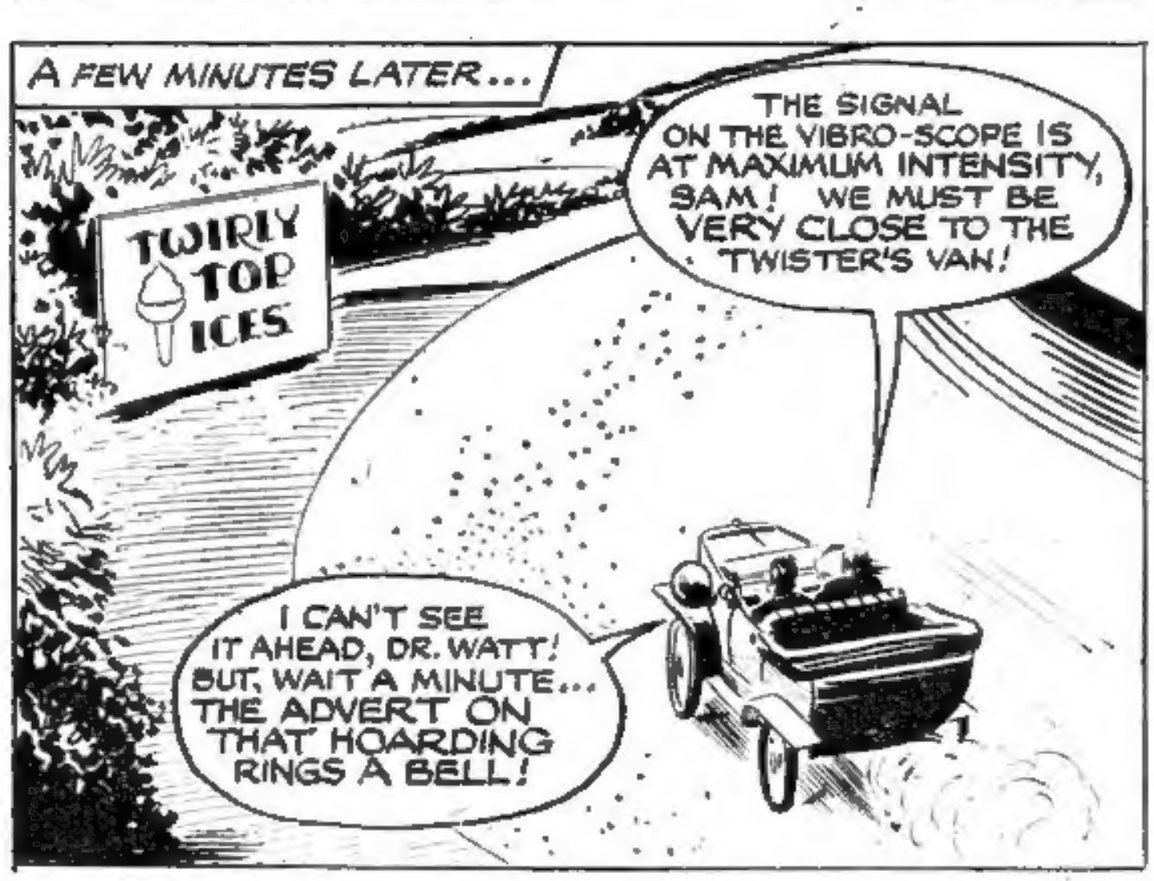

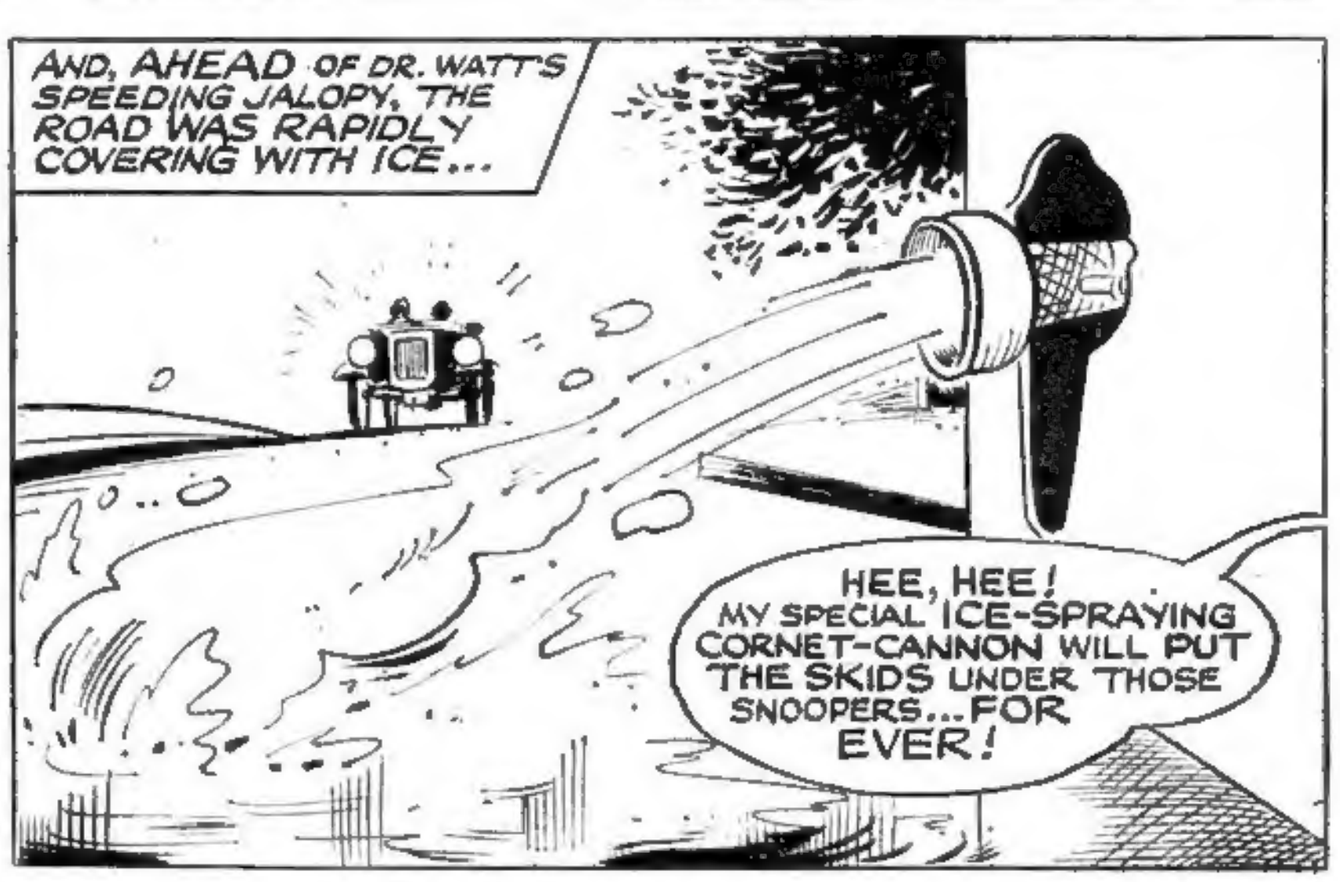

DISASTER LOOMS FOR SAM AND DR. WATT! THE NEXT THRILLING EPISODE IS ON SALE SATURDAY, 23rd MAY!

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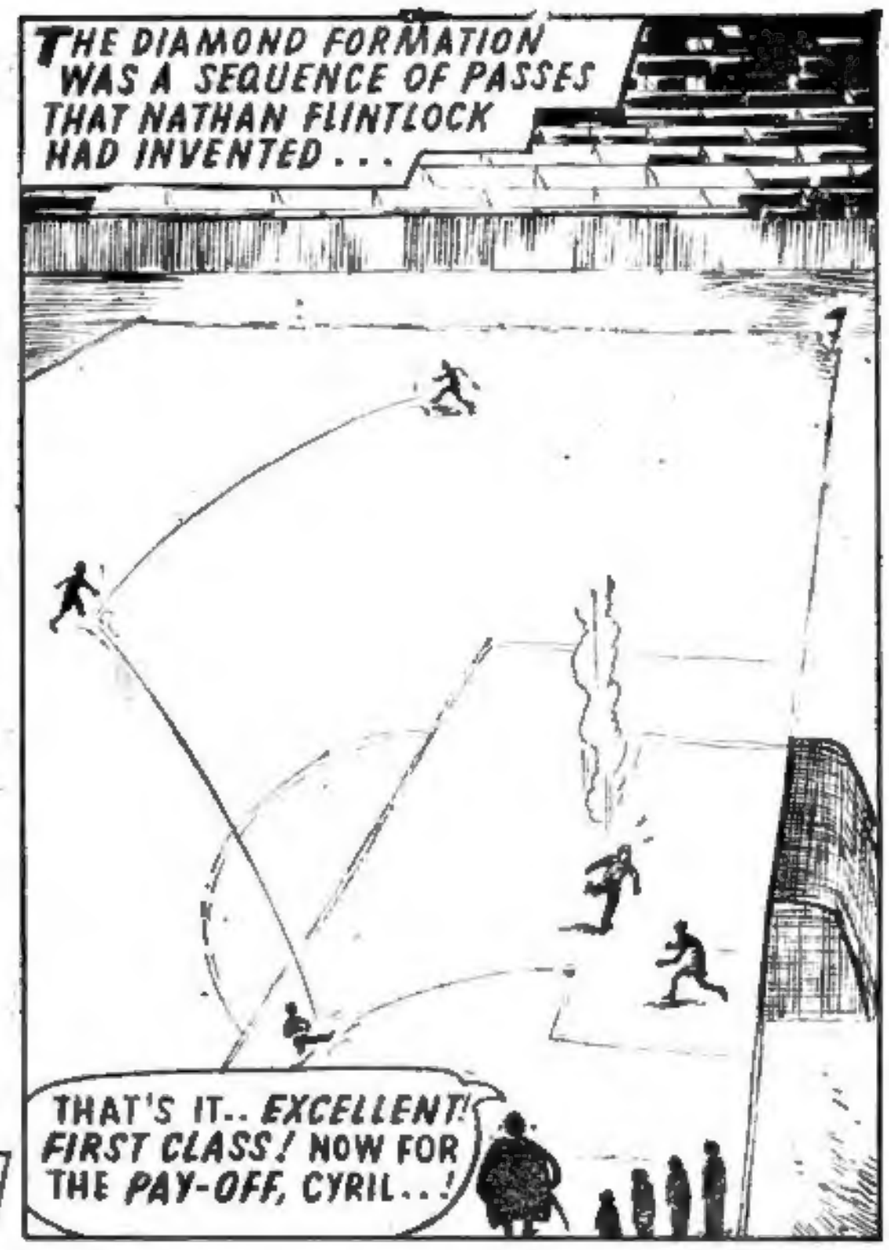
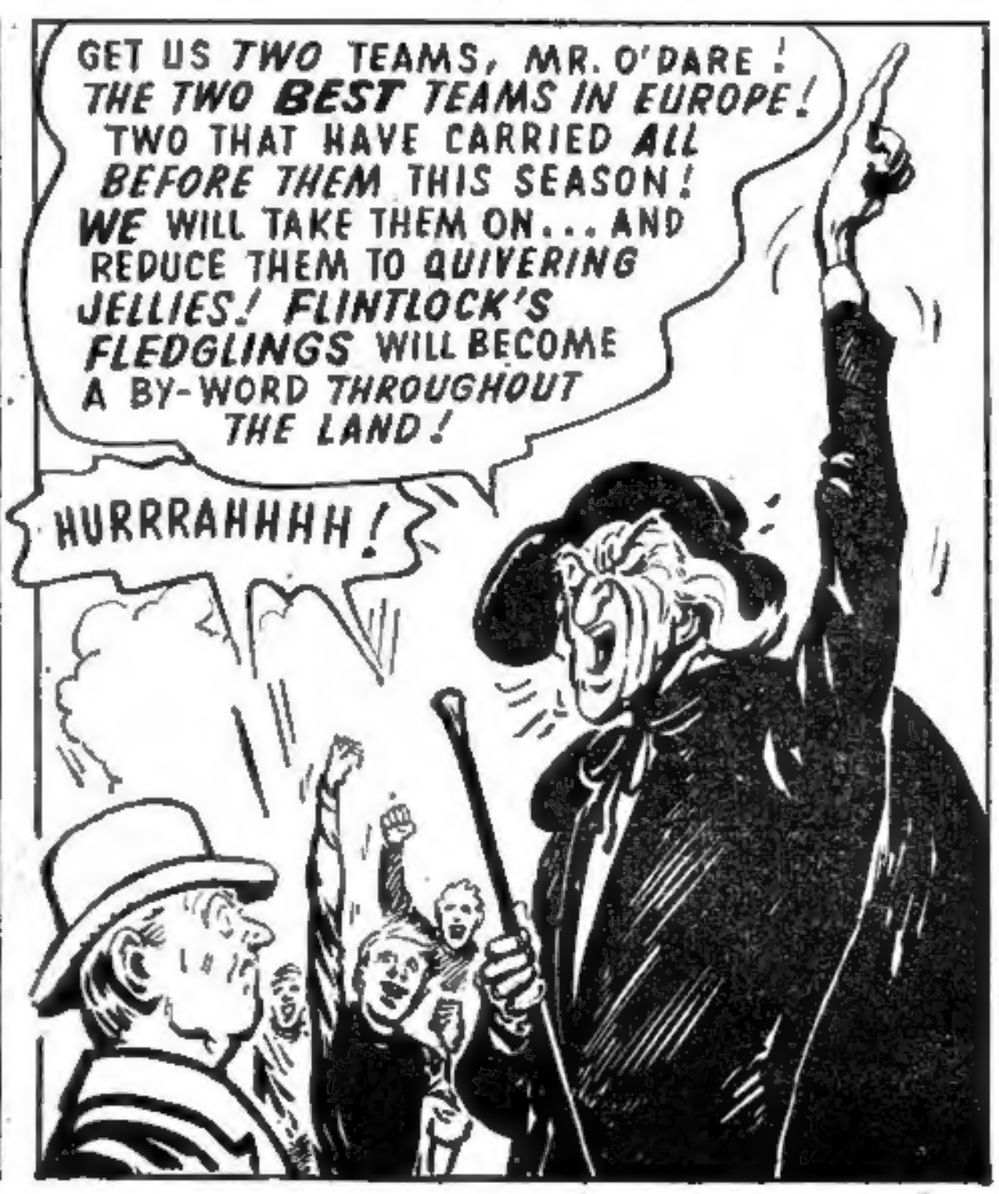
IT SEEMED TO NATHAN THAT THERE WAS ONLY ONE COURSE LEFT OPEN FOR HIM — TO RESIGN!

THE WIZARD OF FOOTBALL

Cyril Clarkson was a terrible footballer until he met Nathan Flintlock, a strange ex-actor who had a gift for coaching players. Cyril and Nathan took Third Division Poorford Town up into the Second Division . . . then the Poorford players asked for transfers. Nathan was left with the Youth team, who were beaten in a friendly match . . .



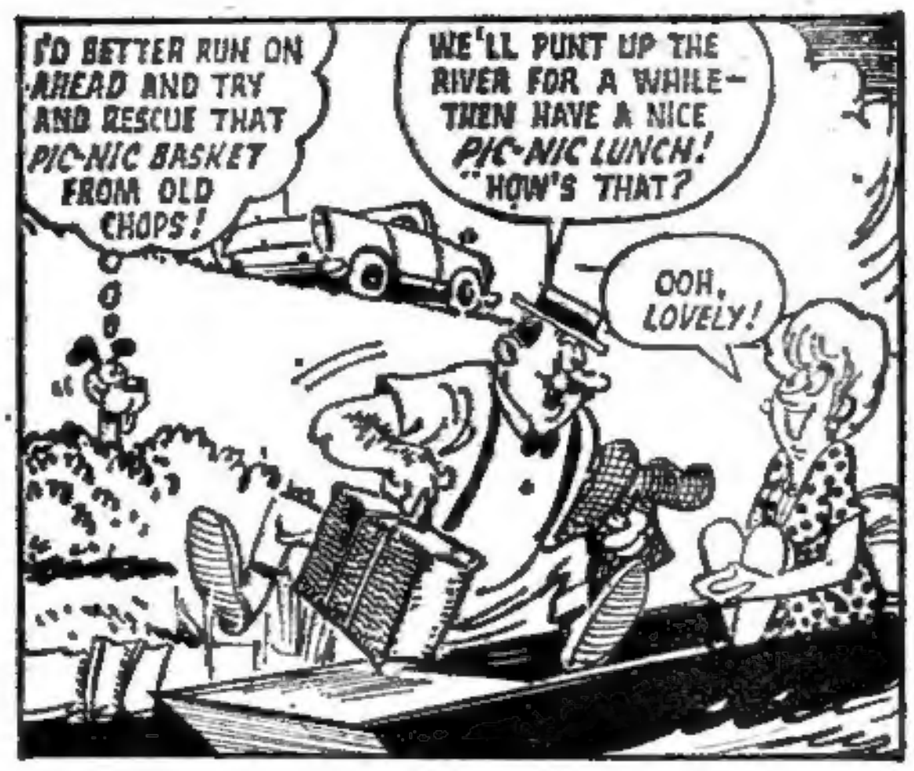


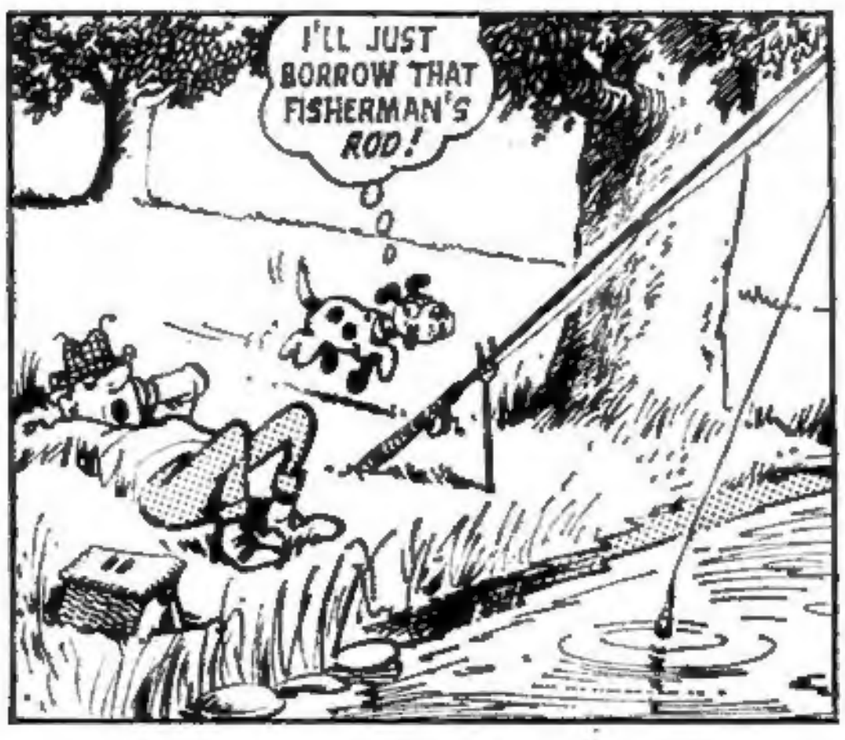
AN IMPRESSIVE SPEECH — BUT HAS NATHAN SPOKEN TOO SOON? — DON'T MISS THE NEXT ISSUE!

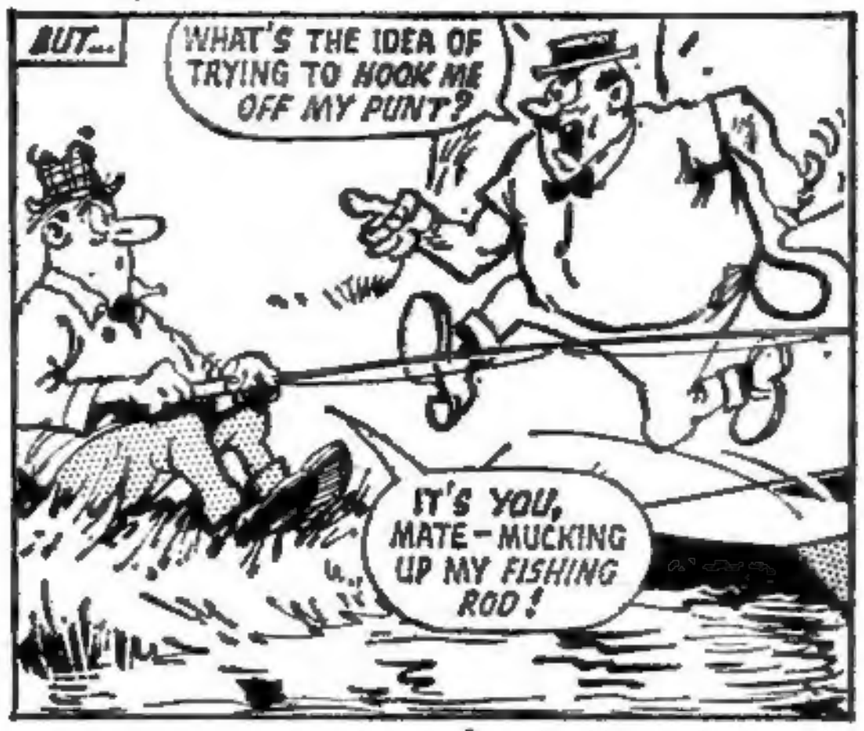
THERE'S A STRONG CURRENT OF HUMOUR WHEN CHOPS GOES BOATING THIS WEEK!

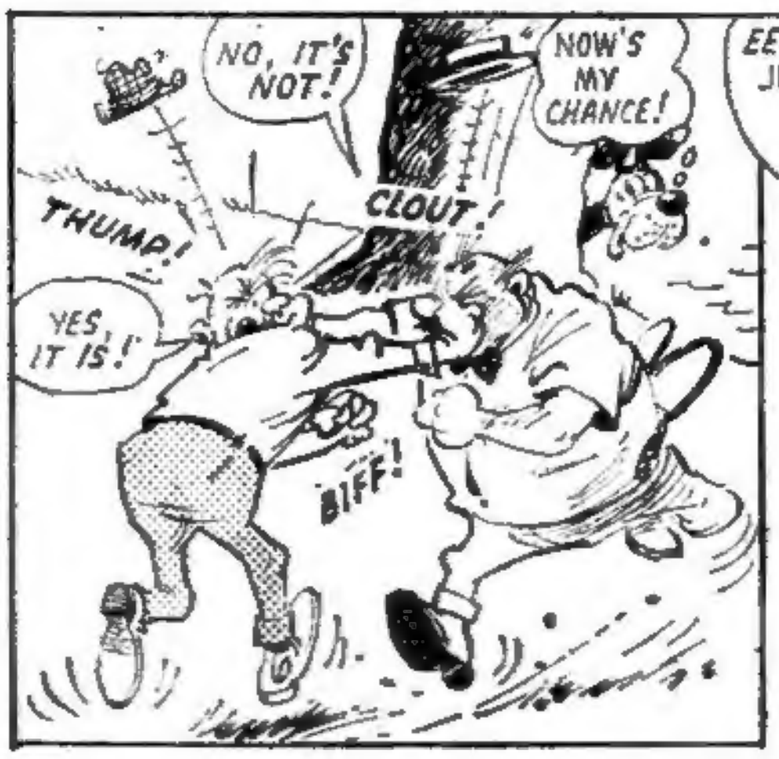
MUTT 'n' CHOPS

The Hungry Hound and his Enemy the Butcher









MORE MEATY MERRIMENT WITH MUTT 'N' CHOPS THIS COMING SATURDAY!

Hello, Mates! BUSTER'S Birthday CLUB

BEGONE DULL CARE . . . it's Bank Holiday time coming up once again, so climb aboard the Buster tour special for a trip to CLUBwick-on-Mirth! I can't promise you sparkling sunshine, but you can be sure of glittering fun-shine all the way! So, get in the swim! Don't be a wet fish, there's a whole coastline of cackles, enough to tide you over for quite a "wh-a-le"! So, don't "skate" over the jollity that's about to take "plaice," keep a "shark" look-out for some laughs!

Your old promenading pal, Buster.

LET ME INTRODUCE YOU . . .

Mark Ellery hails from Winchmore Hill in London. Mark's 10 years old and is a sports fan, being keen on swimming, football, cricket and also tennis.

Here's 10-year-old David Hurst, a merry member from Middlesbrough. Foremost among his favourite pastimes is stamp-collecting. He is also a soccer fan.

Smiling Theresa Halstead is a cheery chum who lives in Manchester. Theresa is 13 years old and she says she is fond of drawing, and hockey is another interest.

Sheffield Club-ite, Paul Mortlock, is very interested in animals, especially horses. Swimming and reading are his other hobbies. Paul says he also reads BUSTER every week.

Six more Birth Dates

2nd August, 1958	**22nd December, 1961**
5th October, 1959	**17th May, 1962**
27th June, 1960	**23rd February, 1963**

GATHER round, boys and girls—it's time for another big prizegiving in our Birth Date lark! Each week, we print several dates and Club members born on one of them can claim a prize. So, if your birth date is listed on this page—it must be the exact day, month and year—and you sent in to join the Club before **Monday, 11th May**, then a prize is yours for the asking!

You can choose one of these: **Wallet of Coloured Ball Pens, Box of Embroidered Hankies, Writing Folder, Fountain Pen, Jigsaw Puzzle, Box of Paints.**

Have you made sure your date of birth is listed above? Then state the prize you would like, together with your full name and address, on a postcard. Print "BIRTH DATE GAME" in the top left-hand corner (address side) and post to reach the Club not later than **Thursday, 28th May.** Overseas members have longer—until the **8th October** to reply.

If you have won a Birth Date prize before, do not send in again because you can only win once.

Well, that's it for this week, pals. There will be more dates next week, and one might be yours, so look out for it!

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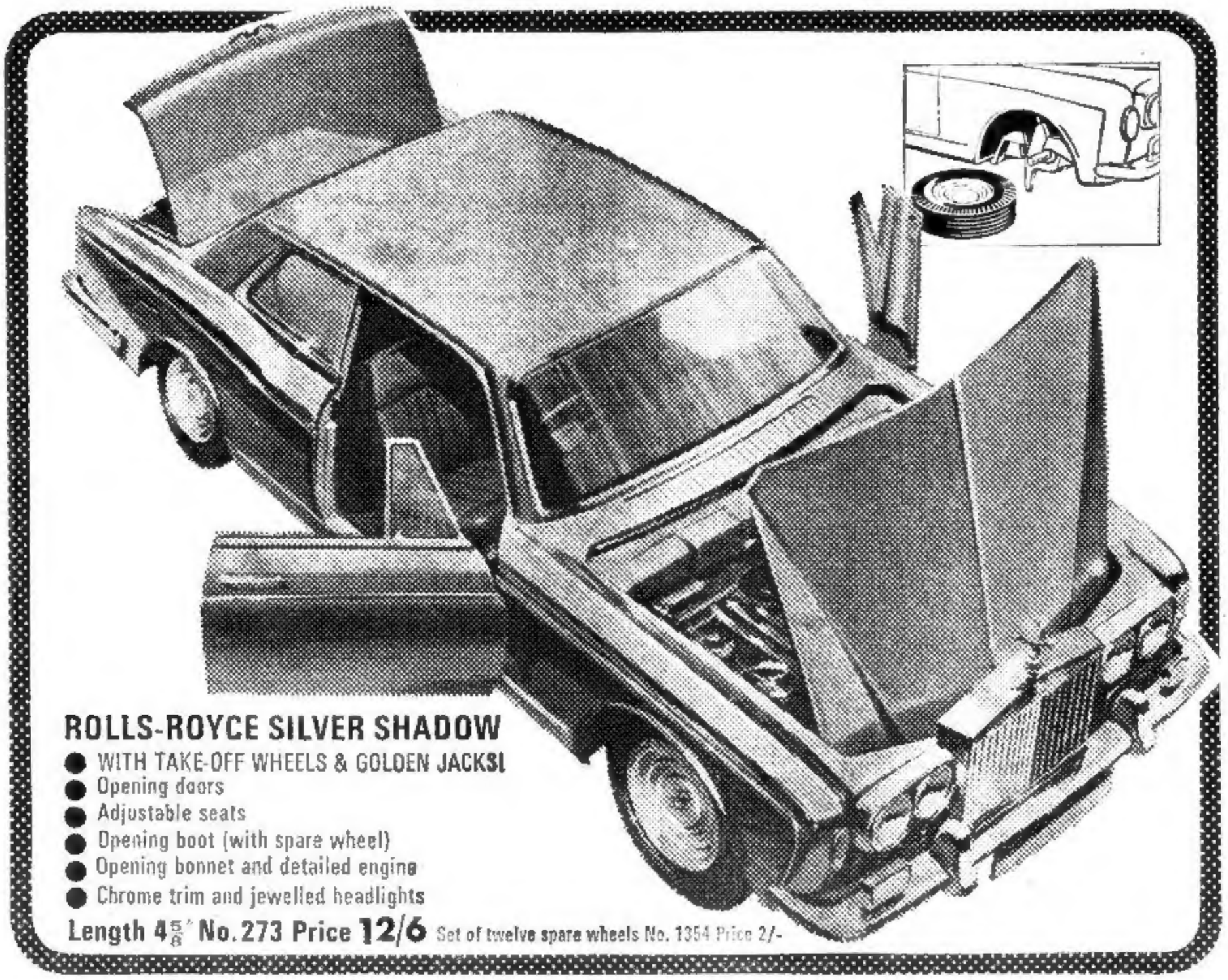

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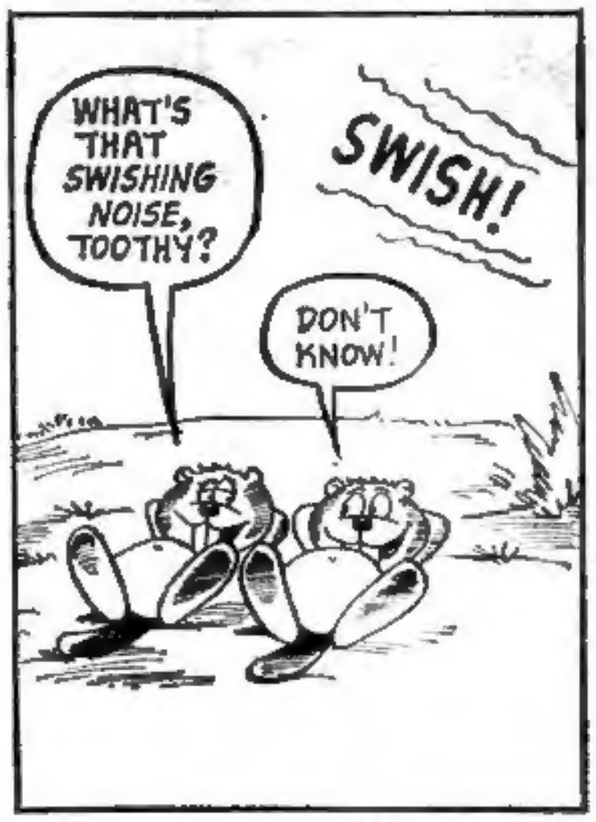
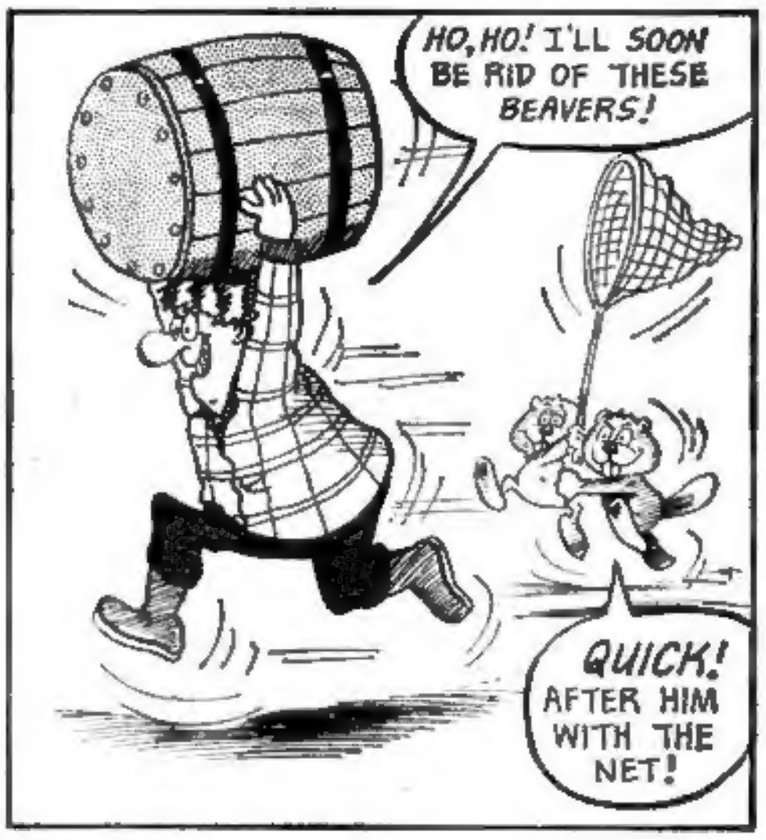
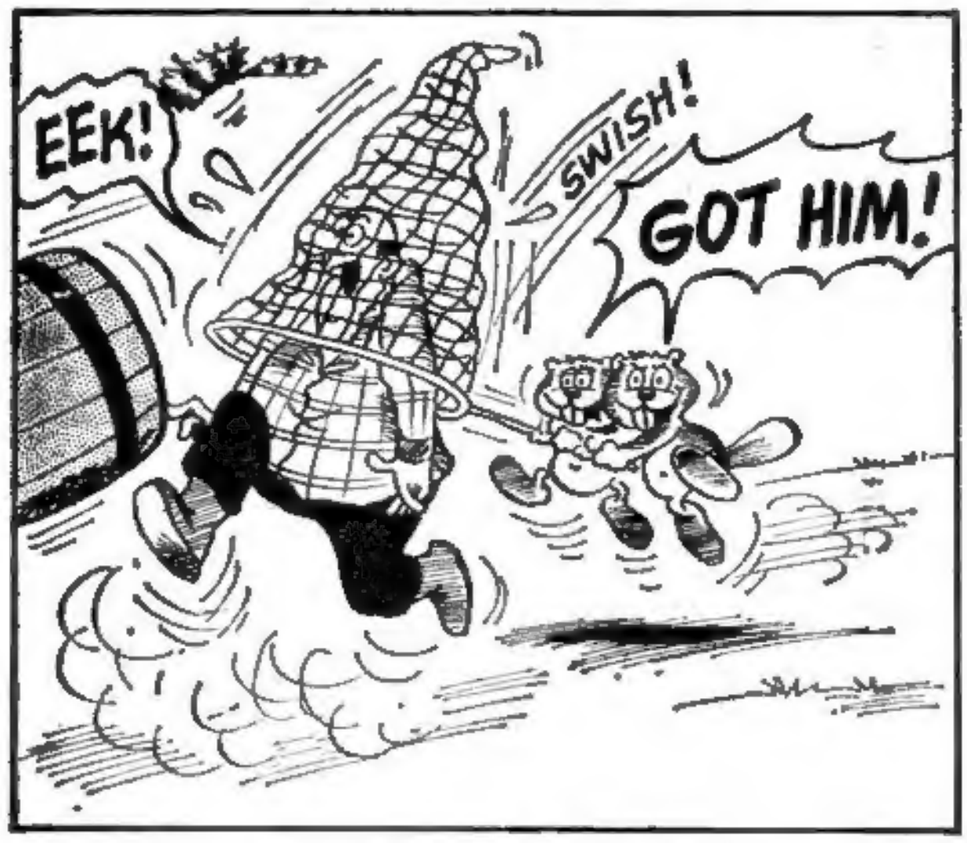
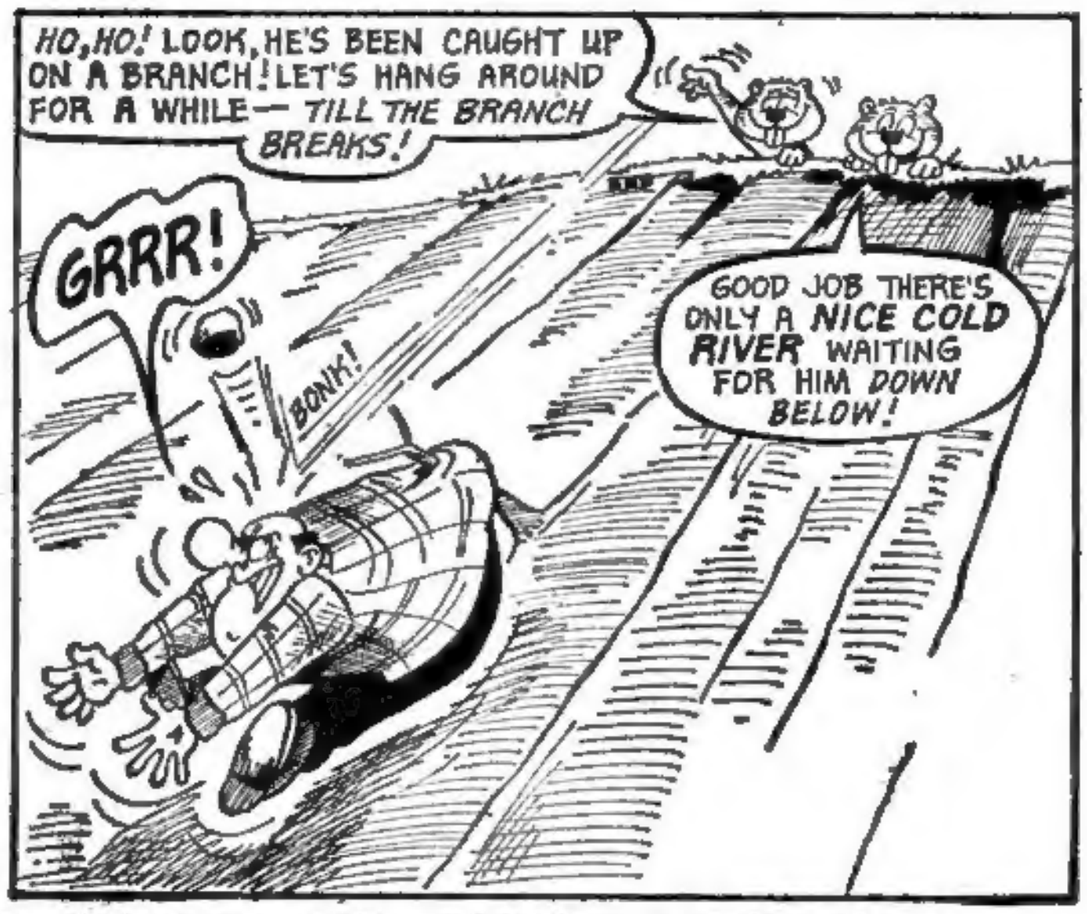
THE TRAPPER HAS A HARD "CASK" ON HIS HANDS WHEN HE TRIES TO TRAP OUR PALS IN A BARREL!









MORE NORTH-COUNTRY CACKLES IN THE NEXT ISSUE, ON SALE THIS COMING SATURDAY!

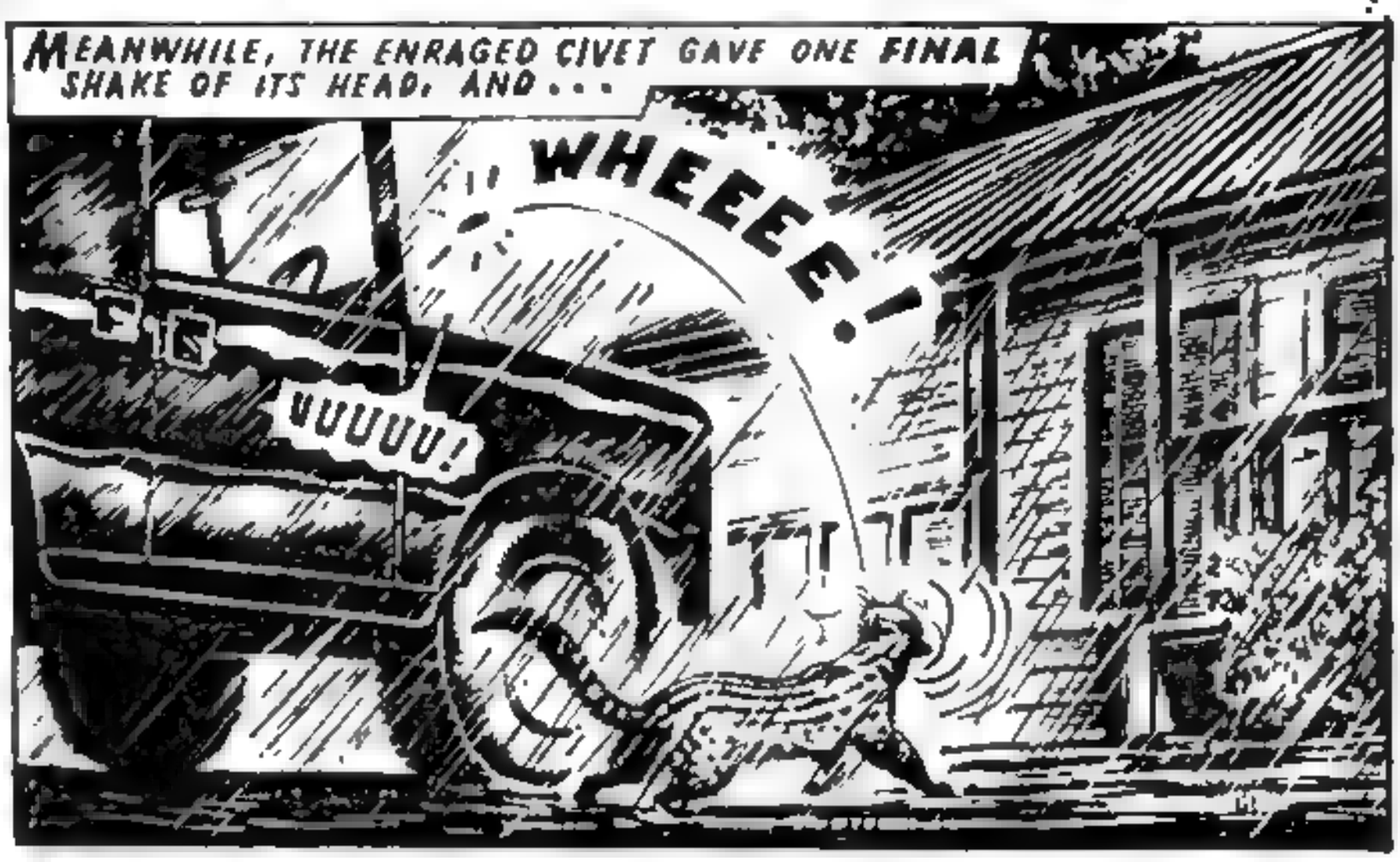
AS THE VICIOUS ANIMAL CREPT CLOSER, THE SPACE-CREATURE DID THE ONLY THING POSSIBLE!

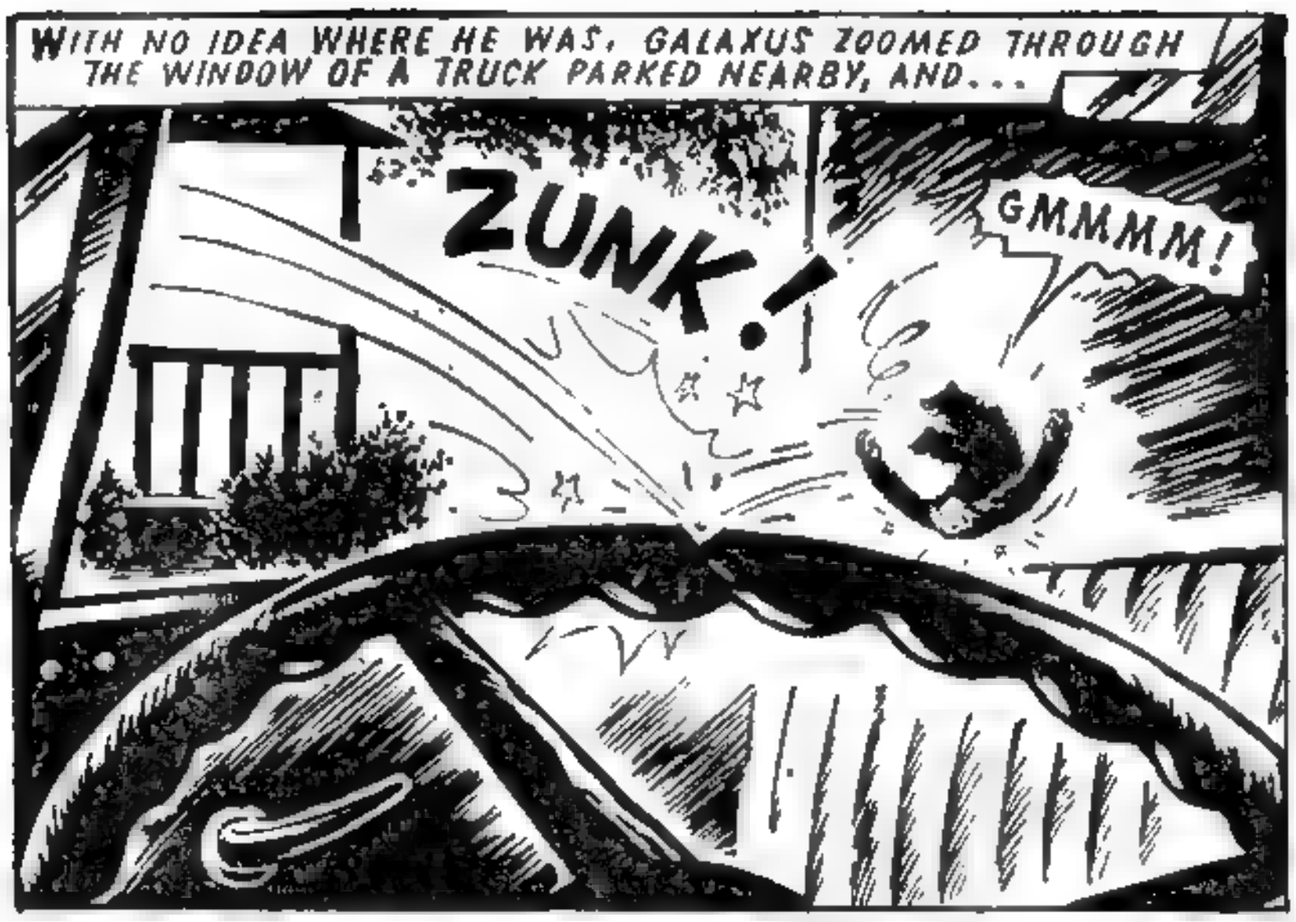
GALAXUS
THE THING FROM OUTER SPACE

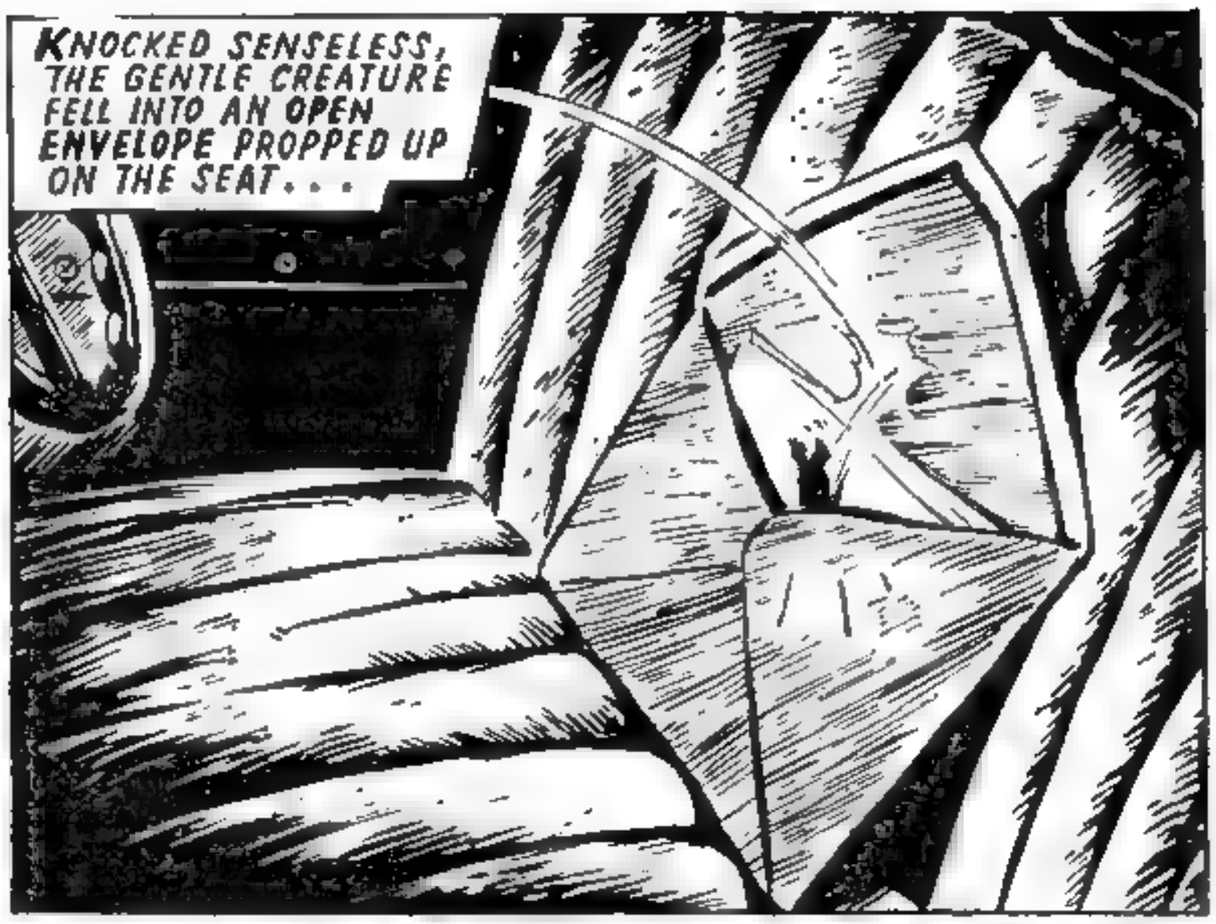
A space-creature known as Galaxus had been marooned on Earth, and, although harmless, he was being hunted throughout the world. With his only friends —two English boys named Jim and Danny Jones—Galaxus finally reached India. He caught a cold and was put to bed in a native hut on the edge of a tea plantation. Then a storm washed him outside . . . where a strange wild animal pounced without any warning . . .

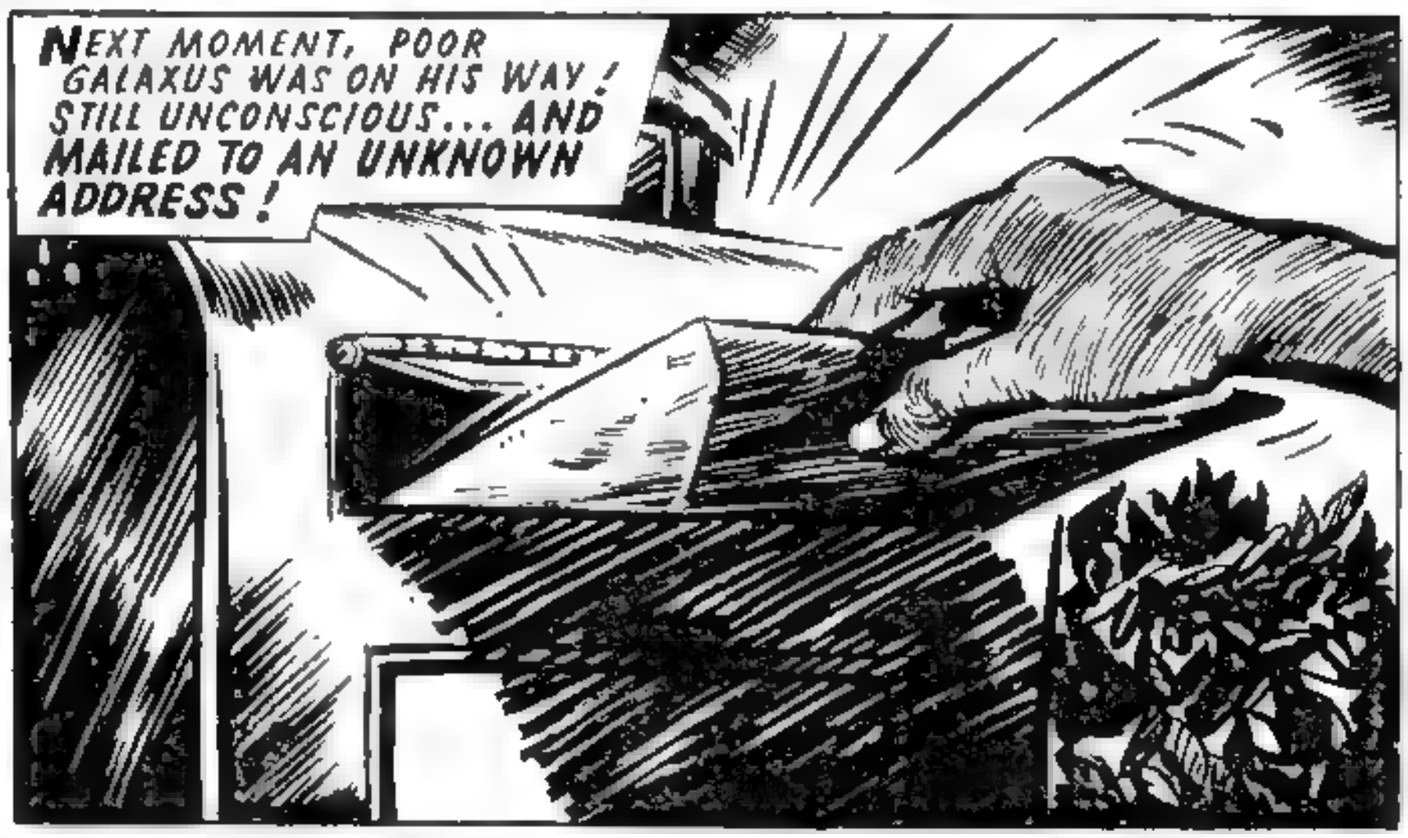
CONTINUED OVERLEAF—

UNABLE TO GROW TO GIANT SIZE, GALAXUS COWERED AT THE MERCY OF THE FIERCE CIVET!









WHAT PERILS LIE AHEAD FOR GALAXUS? THE NEXT INSTALMENT PROMISES TO BE REALLY THRILLING!

THERE ARE MOUNTAINS OF MIRTH WHEN THE HAPPY FAMILY GO HILL-CLIMBING!

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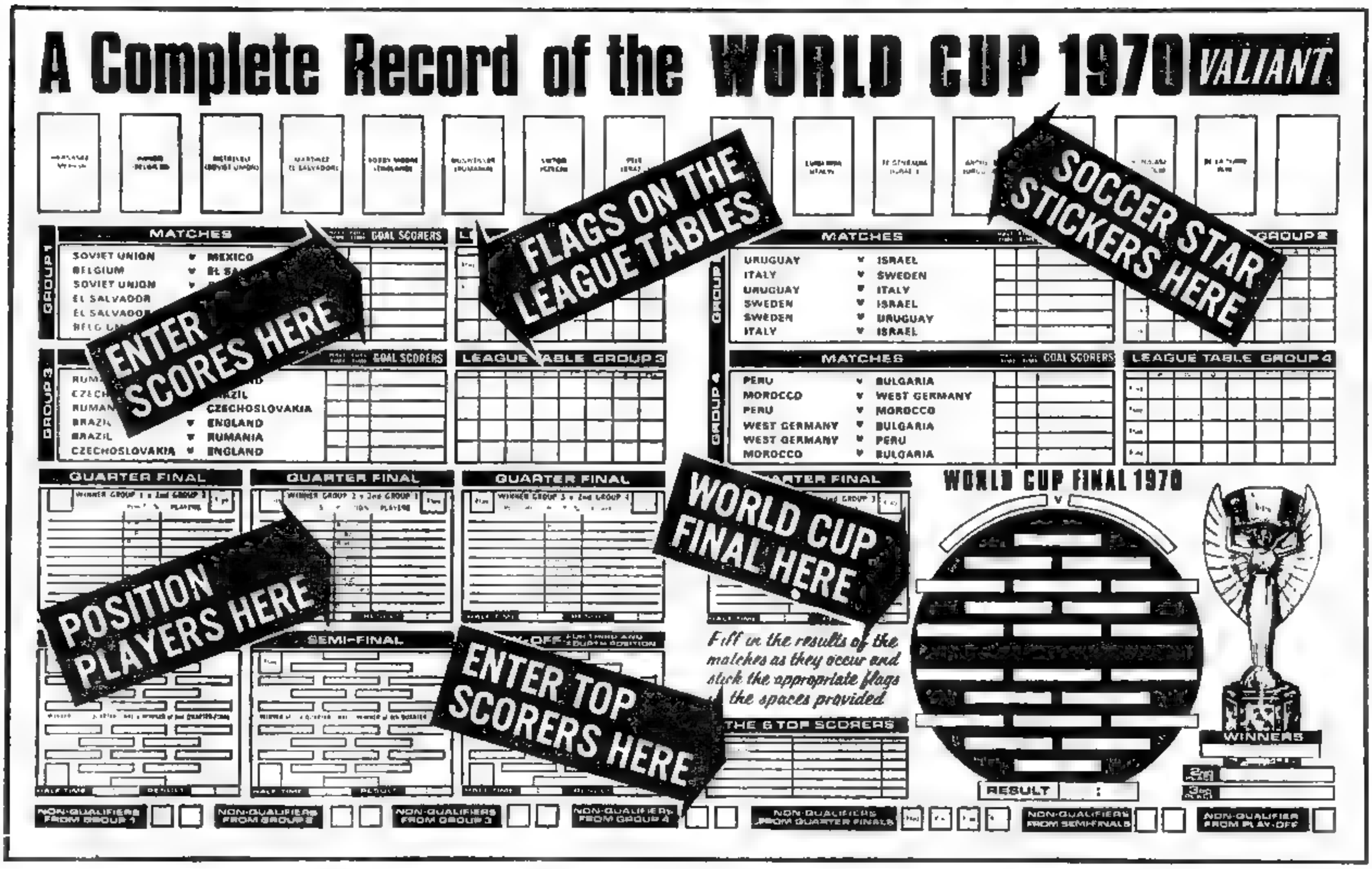

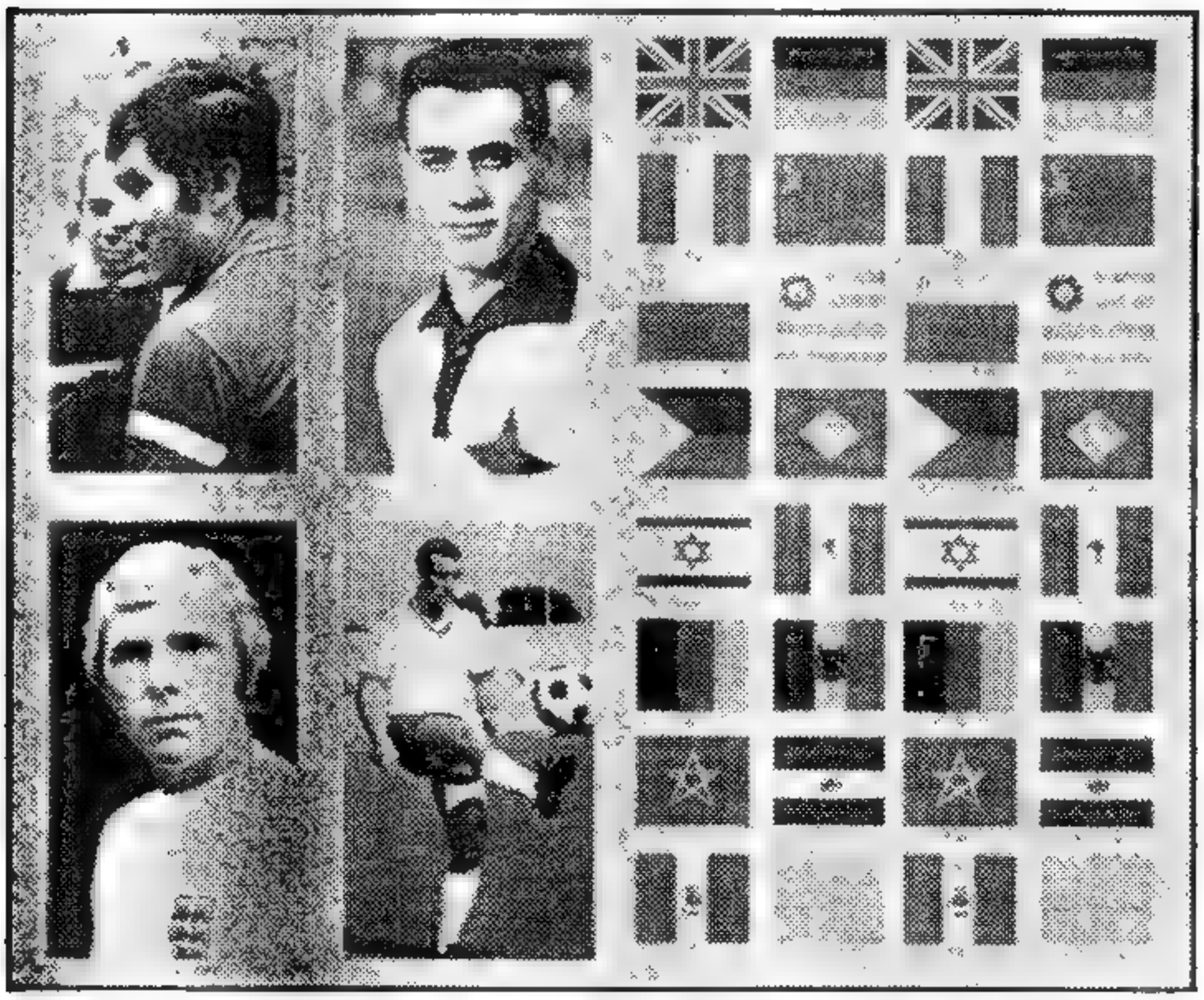

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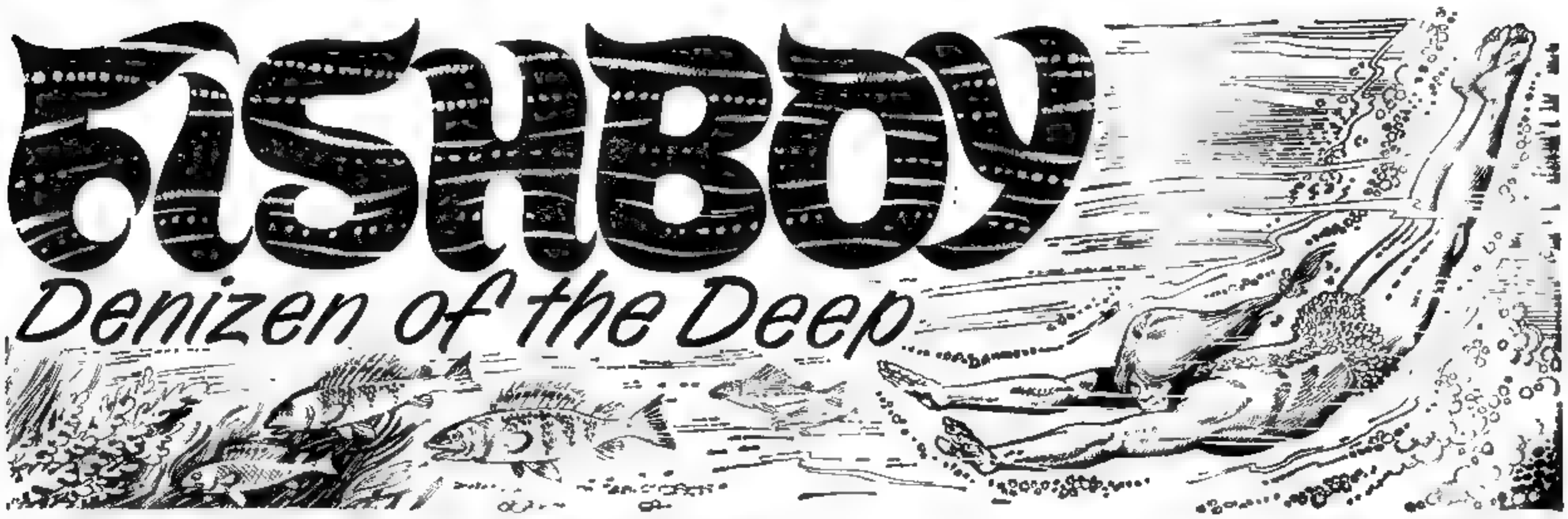
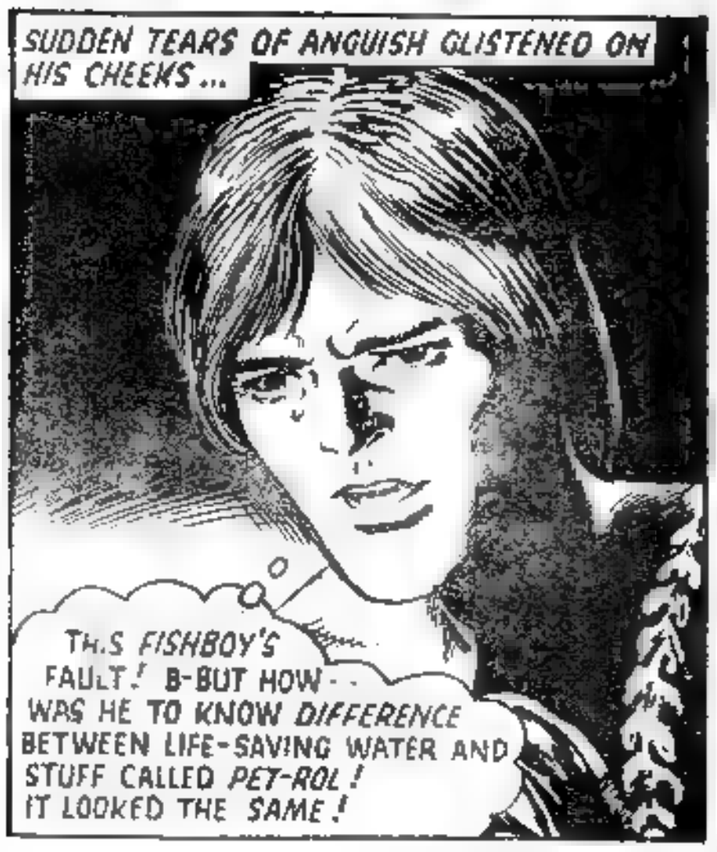
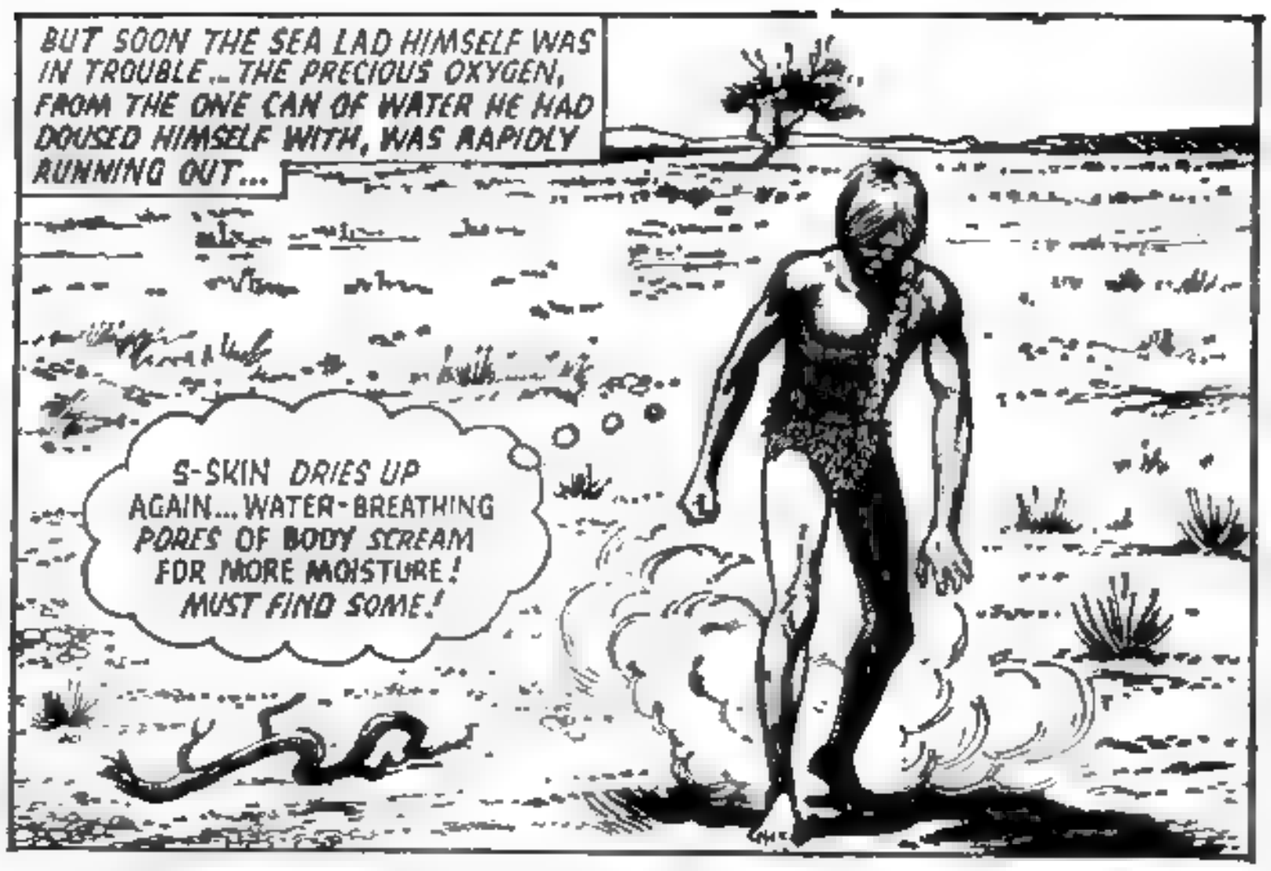
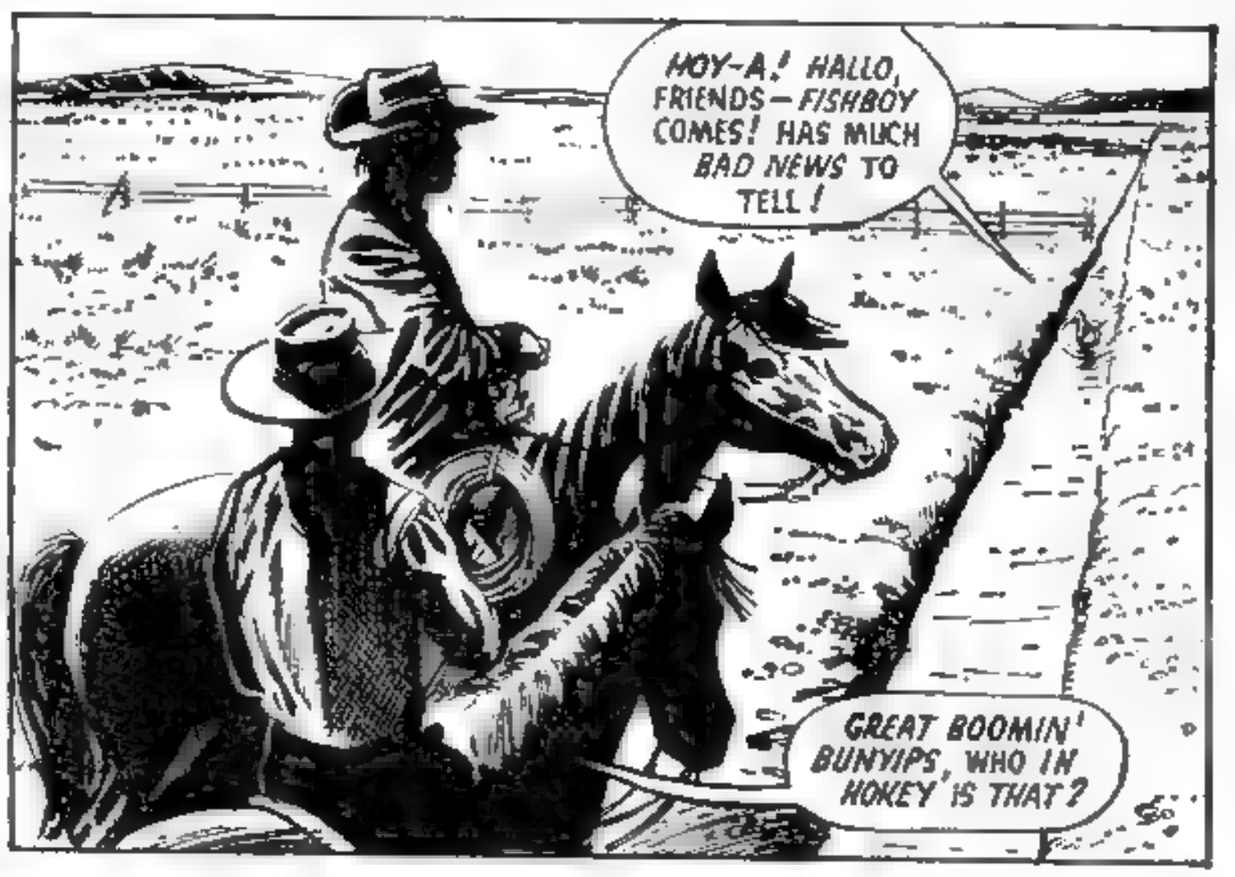
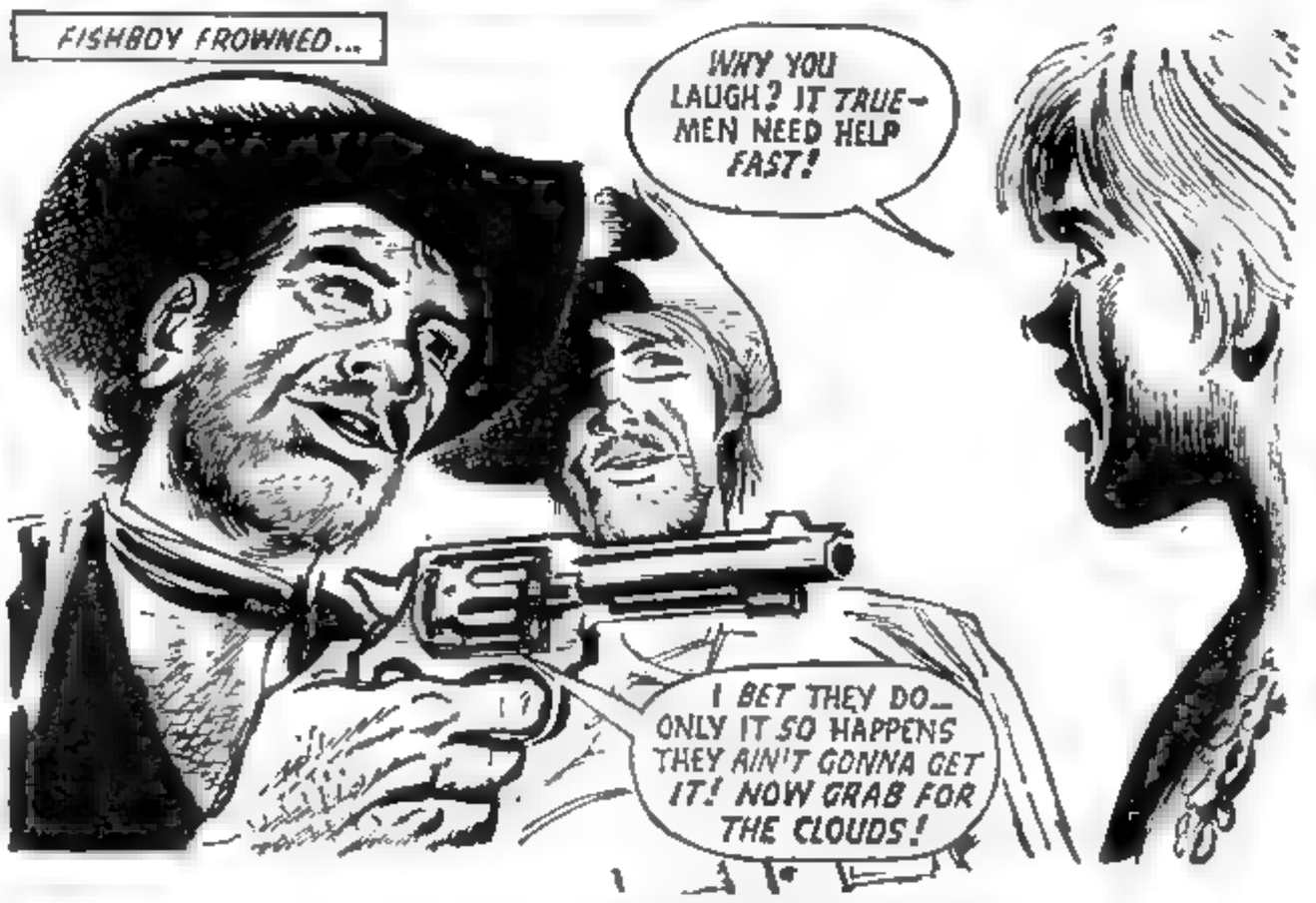
Denizen of the Deep







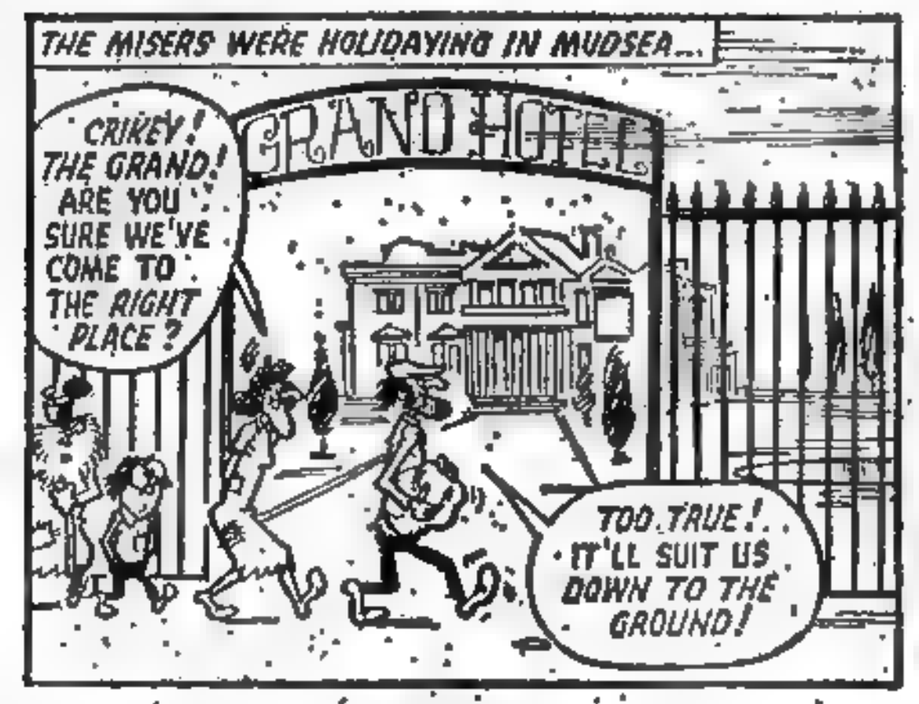


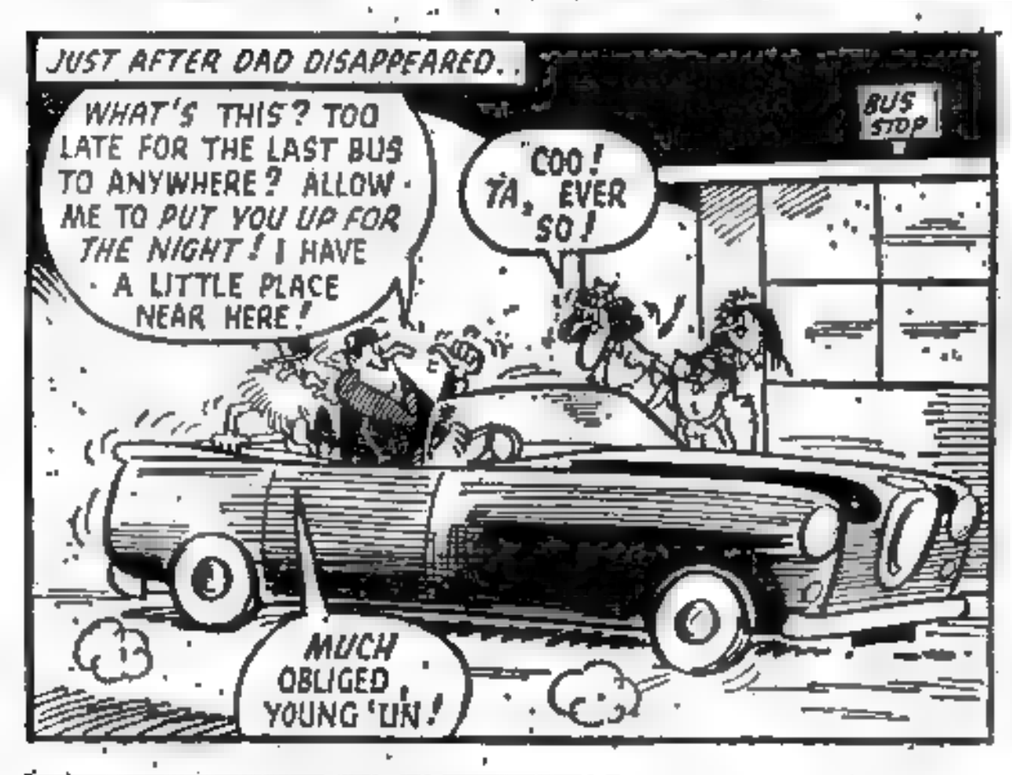


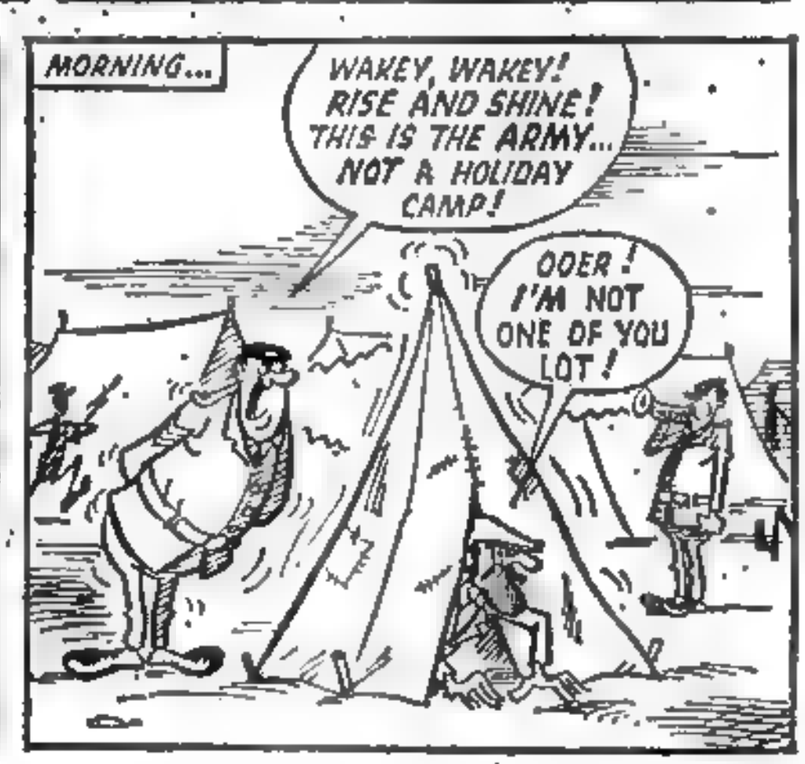
WHO ARE THESE EVIL MEN? MORE THRILLS THIS COMING SATURDAY!

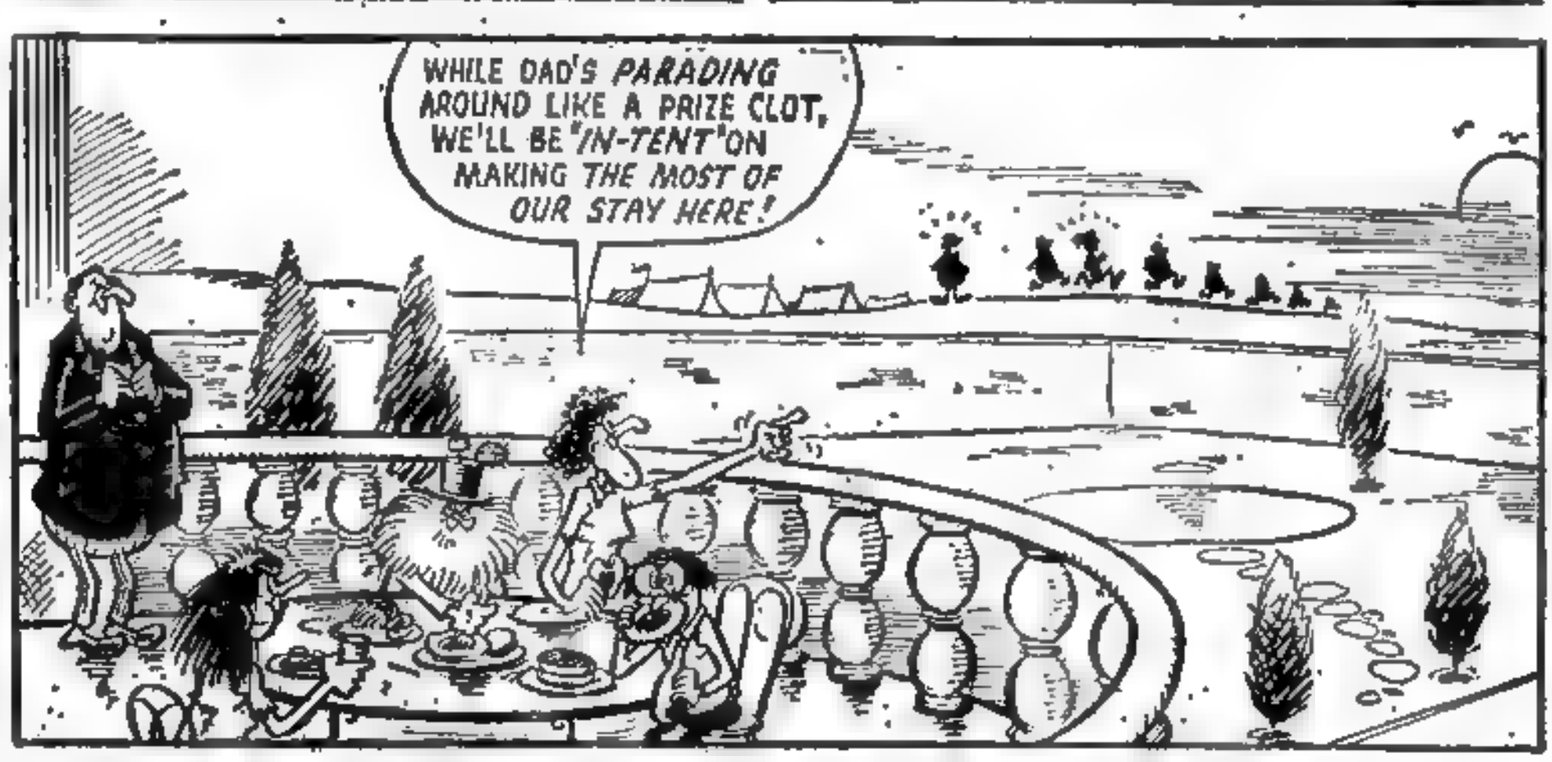
DAD FIGHTS A "PITCH-ED" BATTLE WITH AUTHORITY WHEN HE GOES CAMPING!

the MISERS









MORE MONEY-SAVING MIRTH WITH THE PENNY-PINCHING MISERS THIS COMING SATURDAY!

Two more fast 'n' fabulous Corgi Rockets

Great news for Corgi Rocket fans! Now there are 13 of these fast 'n' fabulous little cars to choose from—like the two stock cars shown here.

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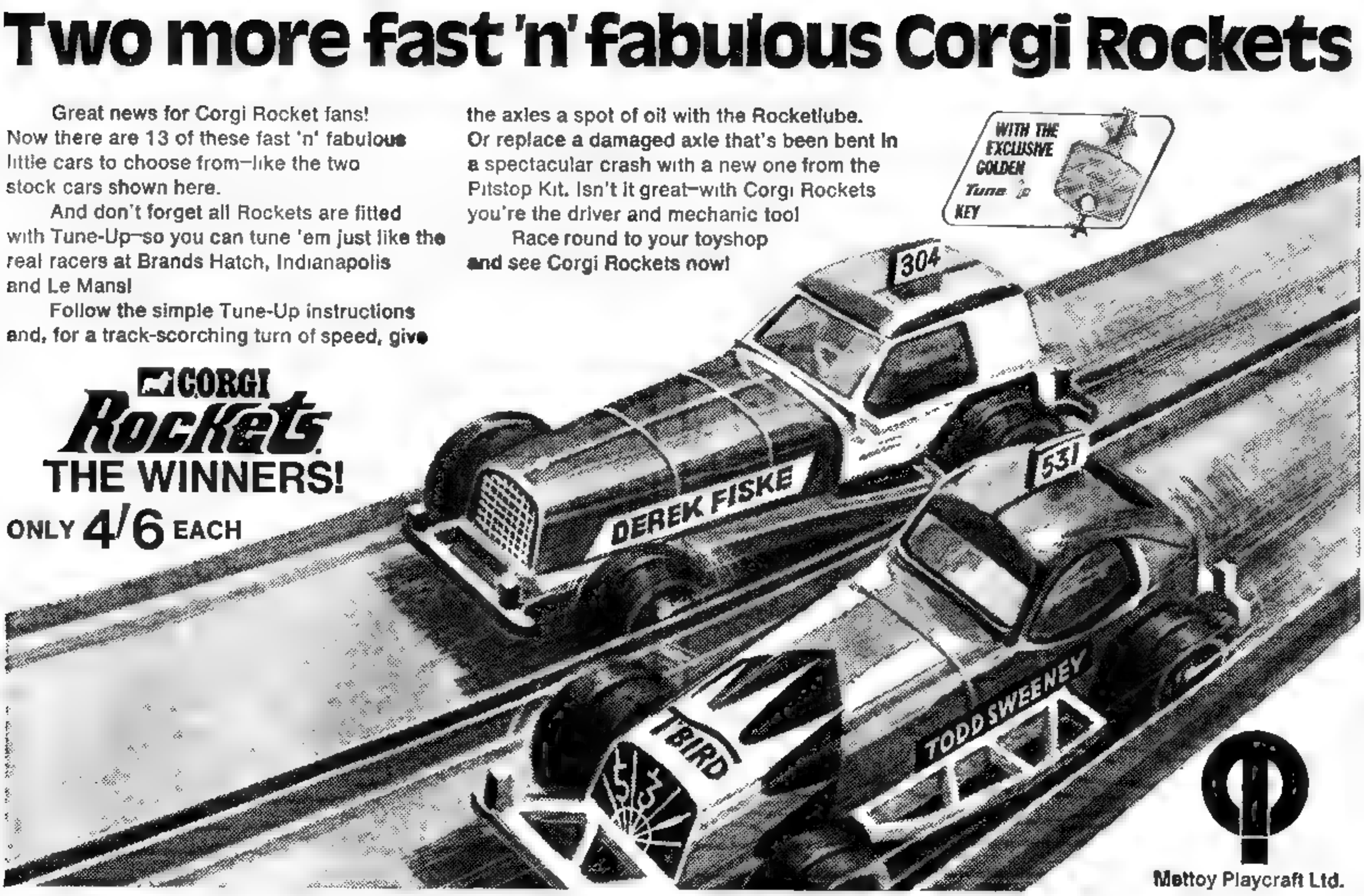
Follow the simple Tune-Up instructions and, for a track-scorching turn of speed, give the axles a spot of oil with the Rocketlube. Or replace a damaged axle that's been bent in a spectacular crash with a new one from the Pitstop Kit. Isn't it great—with Corgi Rockets you're the driver and mechanic too!

Race round to your toyshop and see Corgi Rockets now!



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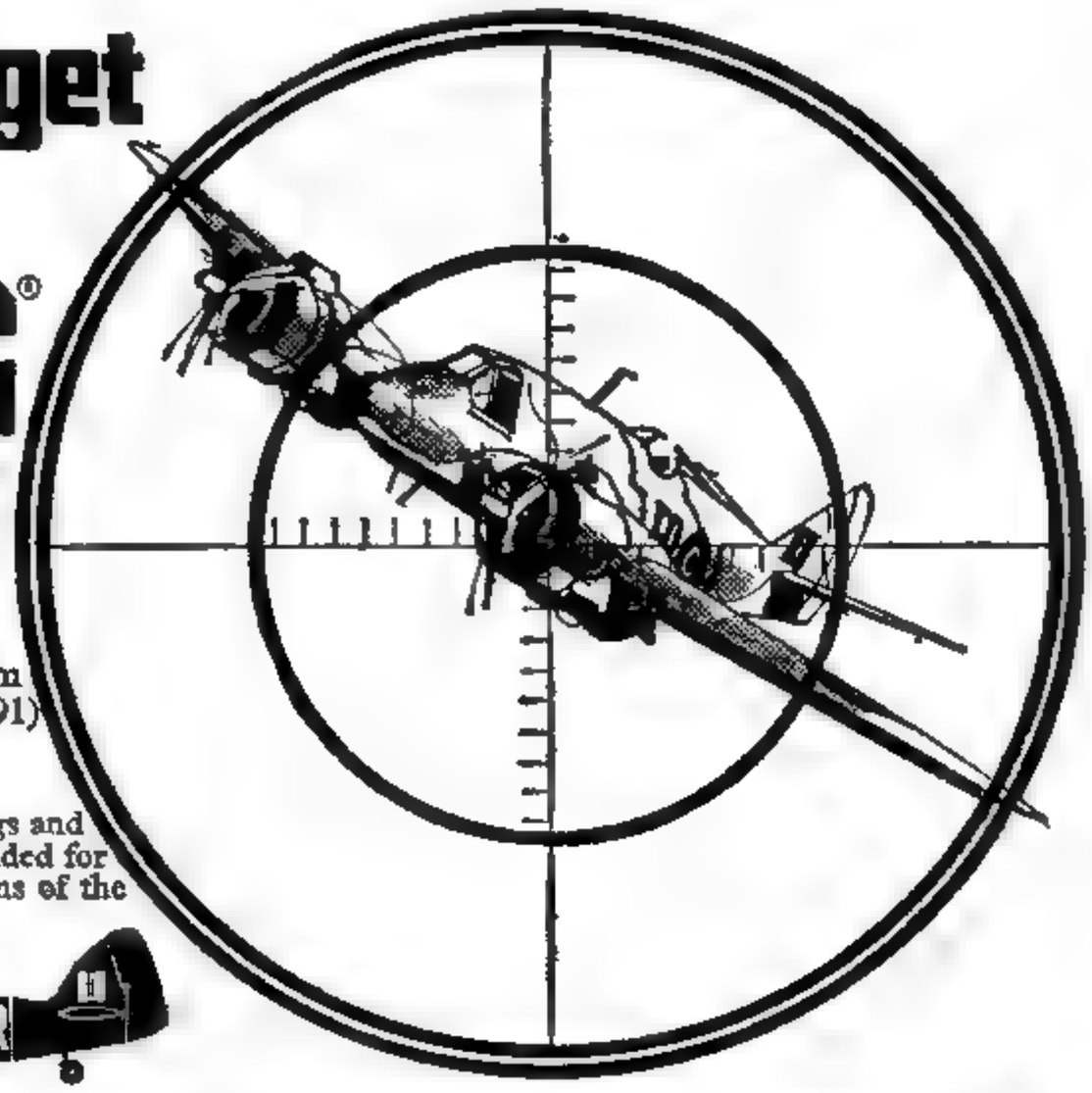

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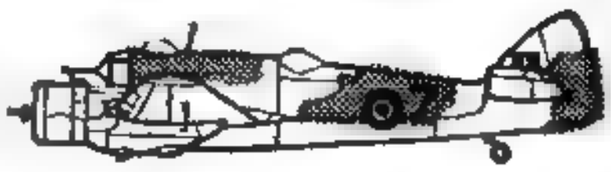

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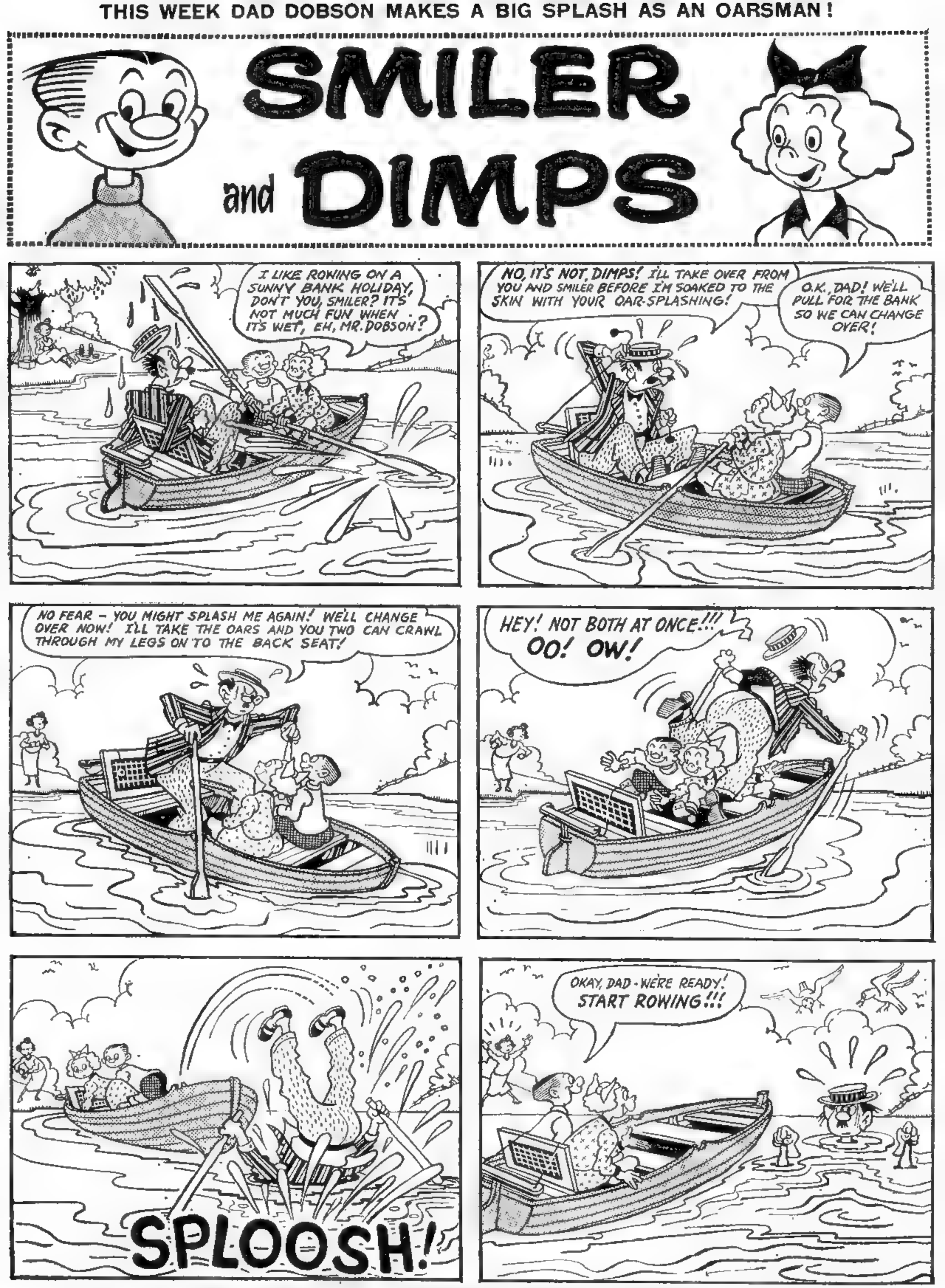
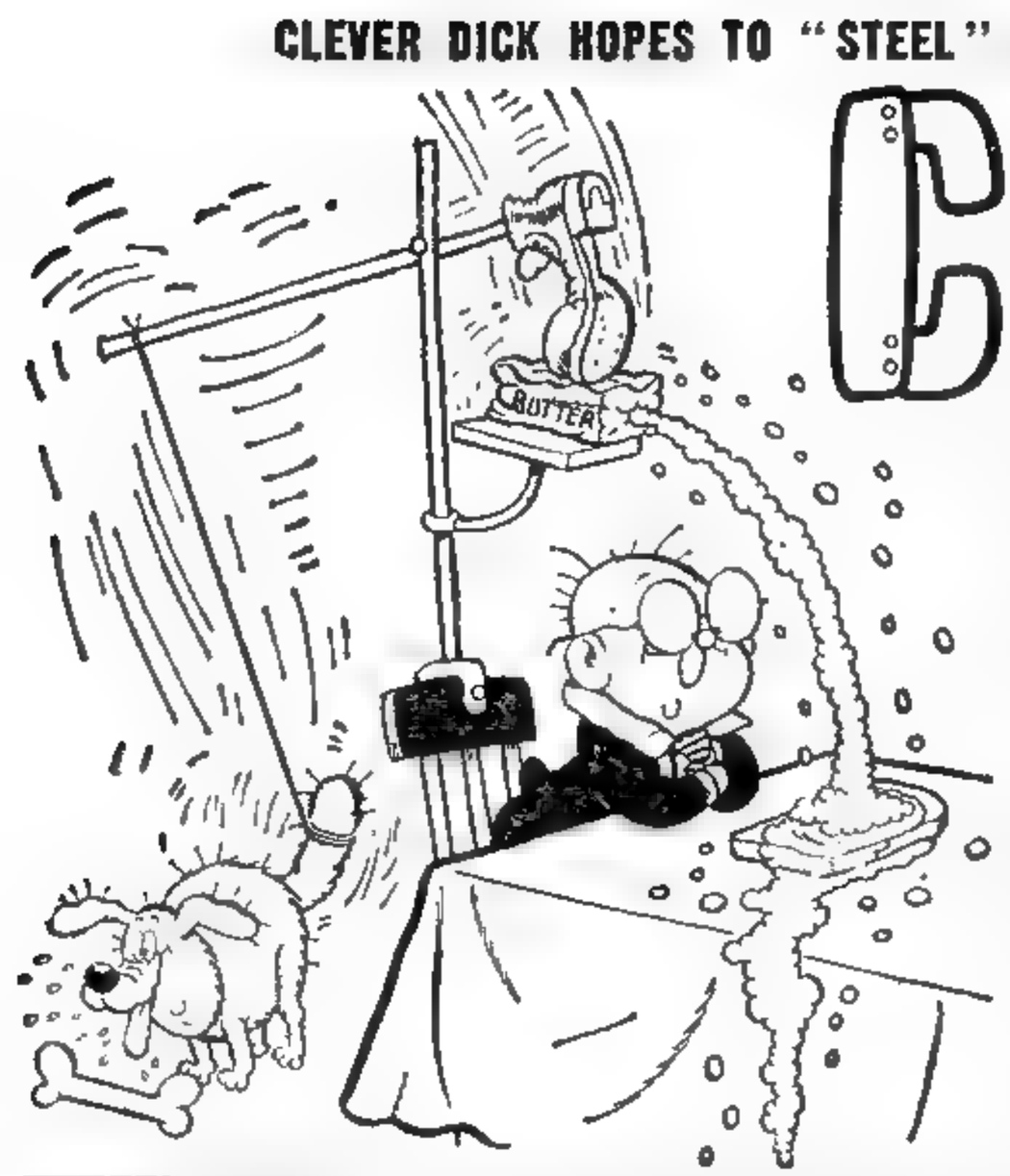
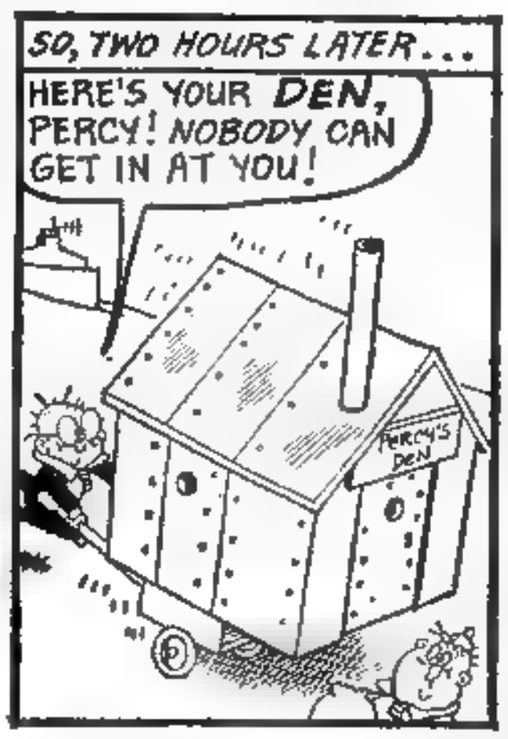


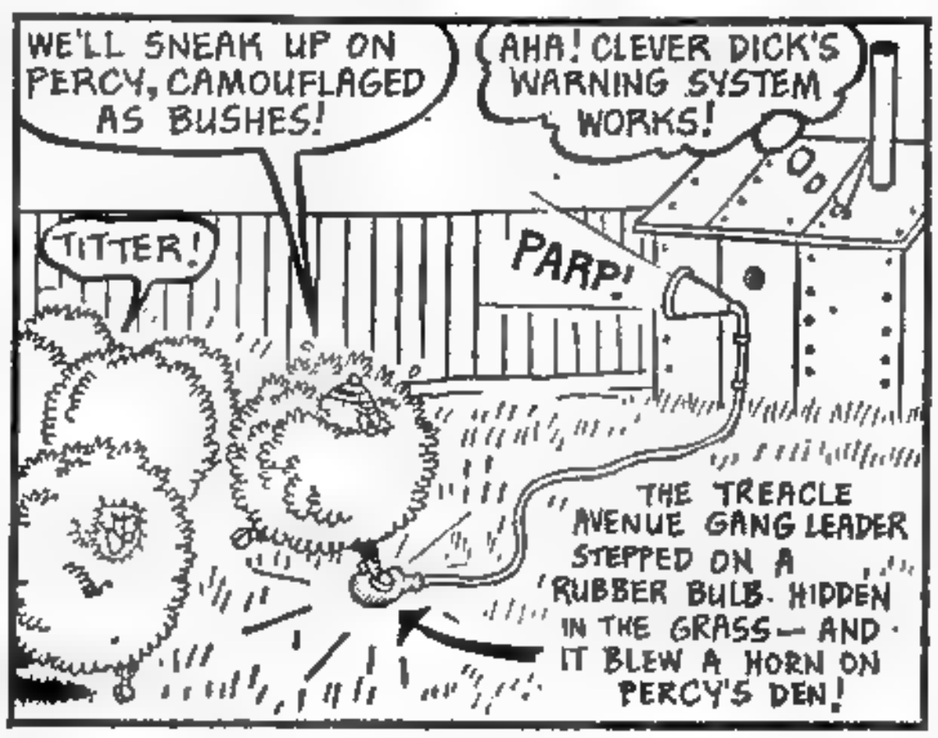
"WHEEL" SMILER BE SADDLED WITH SOME TROUBLE IN NEXT SATURDAY'S TALE OF A BICYCLE?

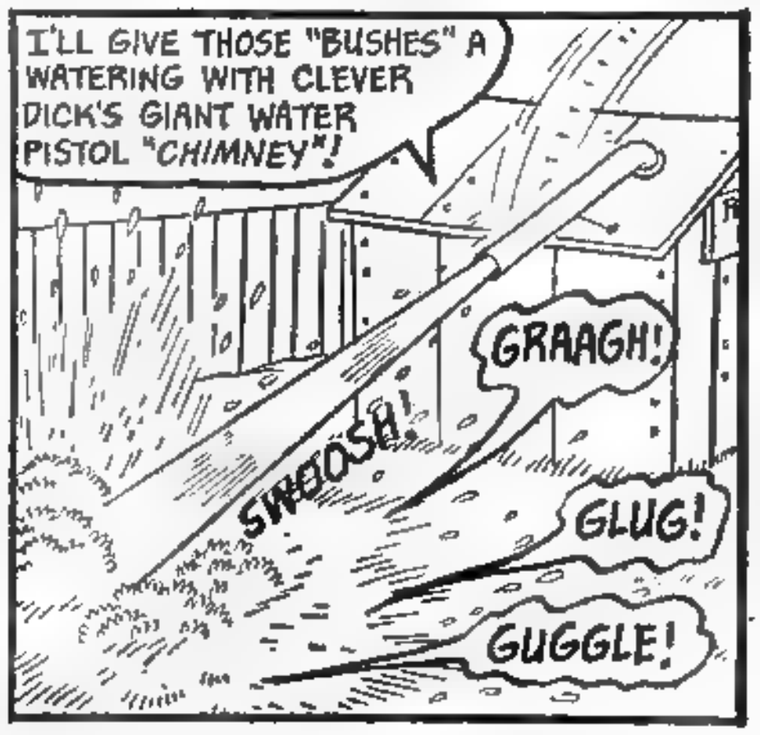
CLEVER DICK HOPES TO "STEEL" OFF WITH SOME SWEETS BY BUILDING A METAL DEN!

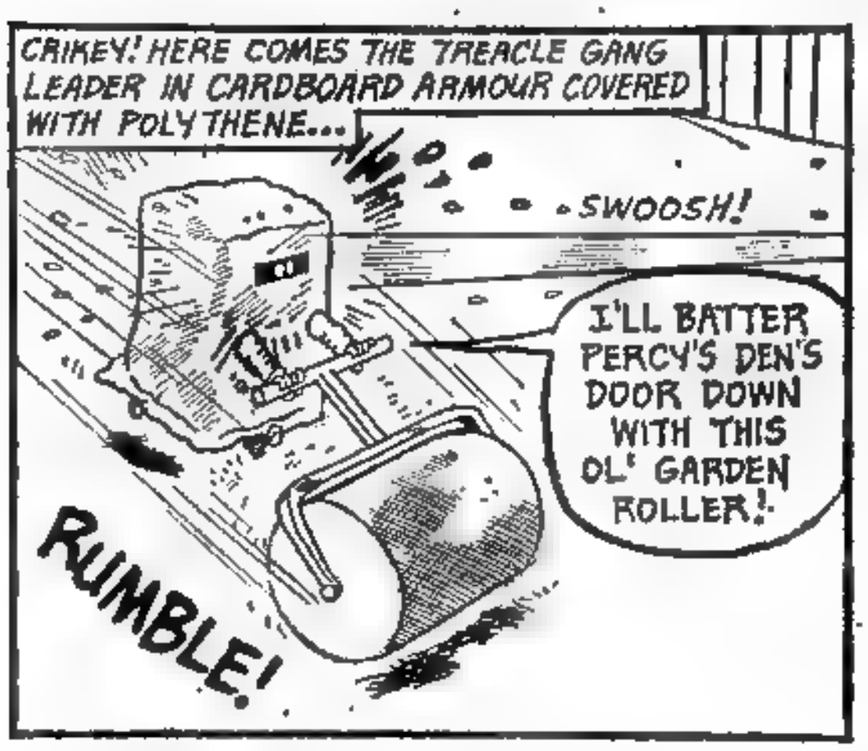
Clever Dick

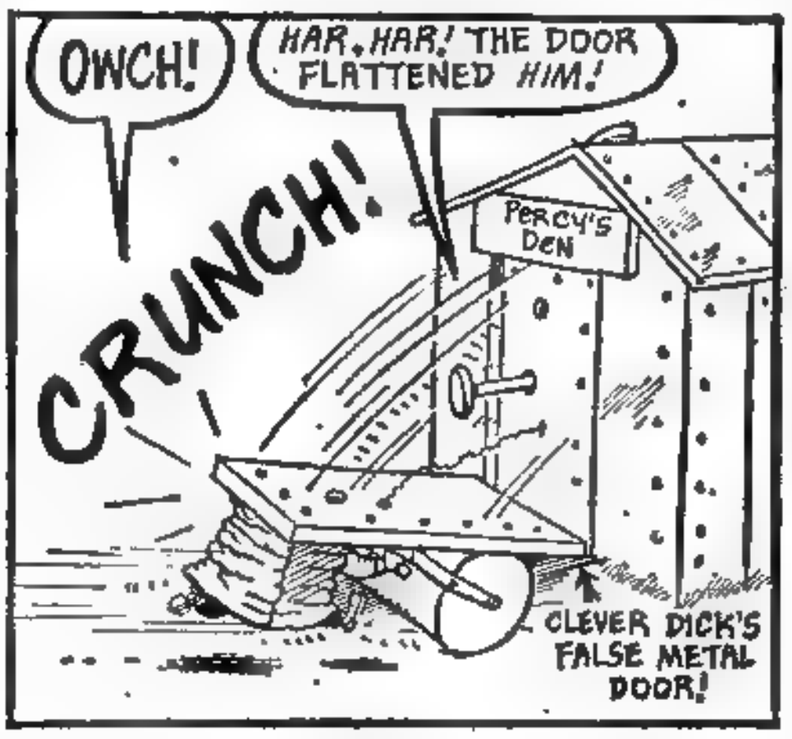


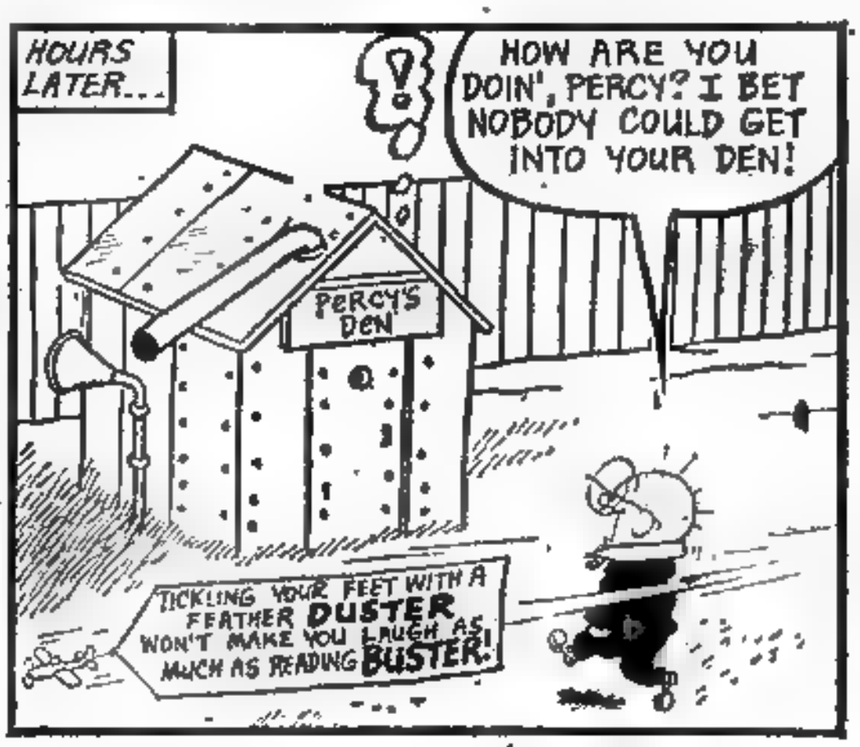


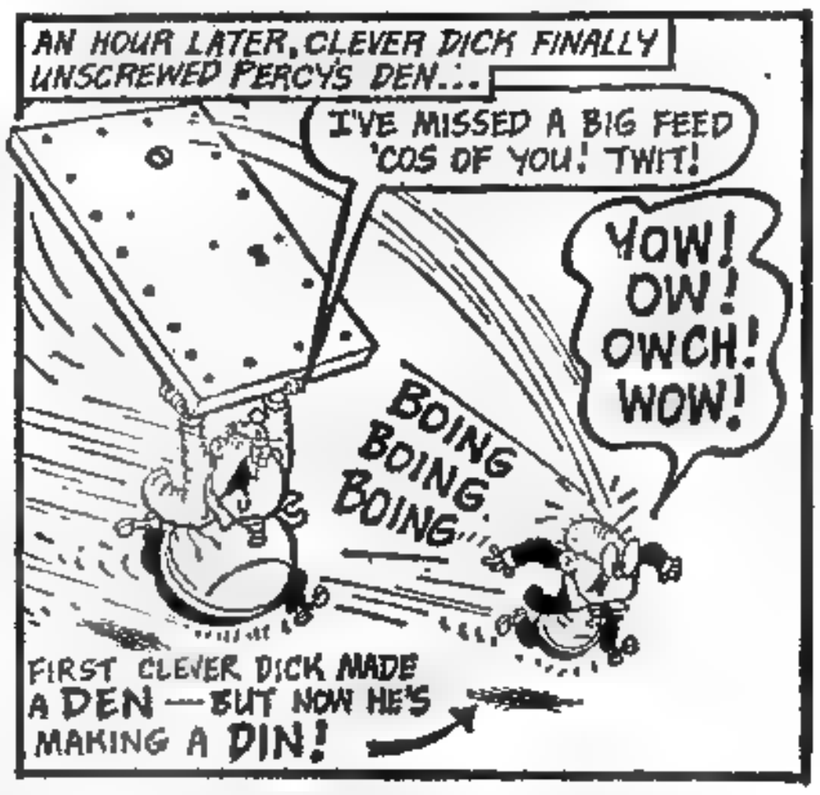






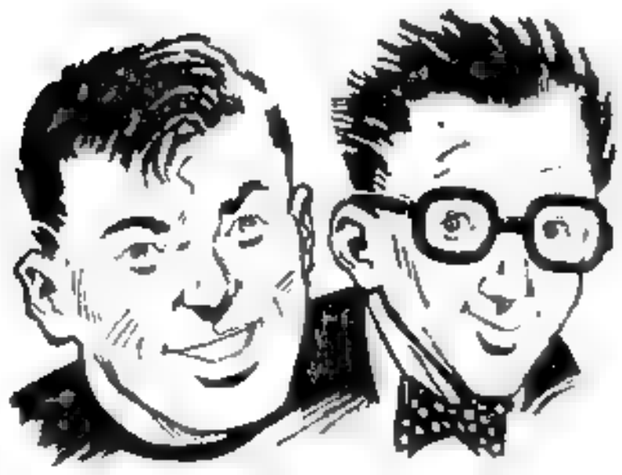






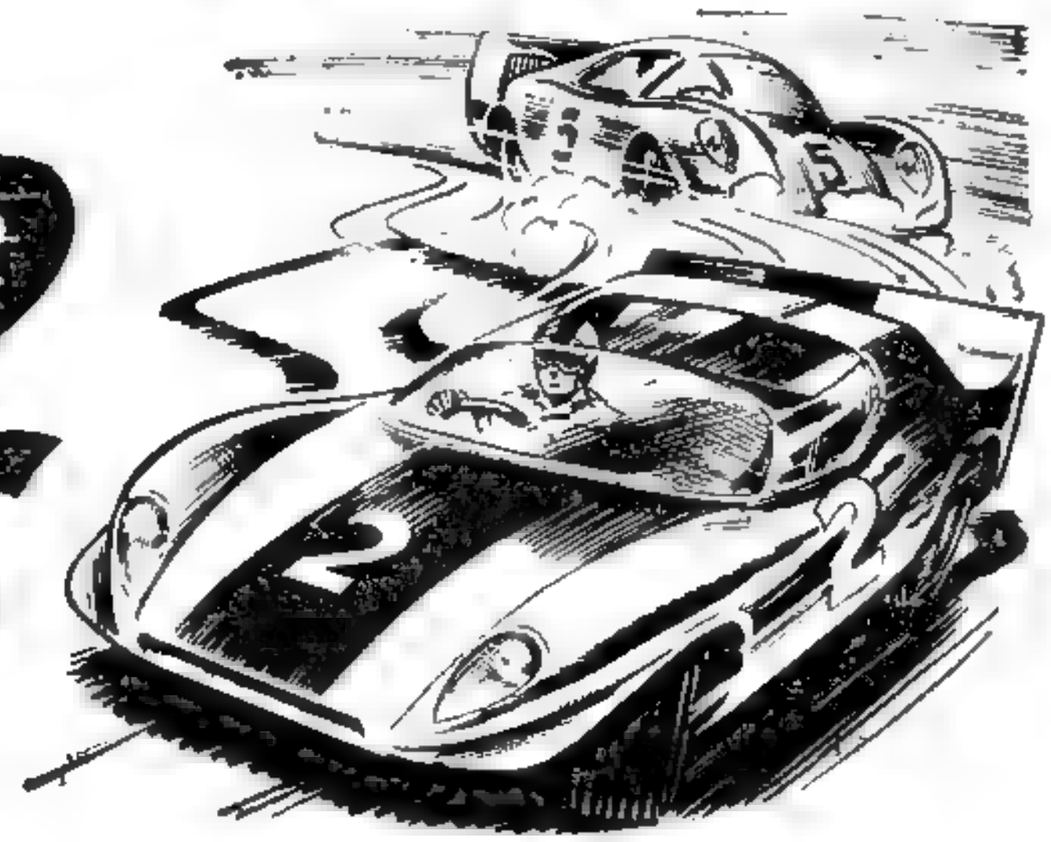
WHEN DICK BRUSHES UP ON HIS SHOE-POLISHING ABILITY THIS SATURDAY, THE FUN REALLY SHINES!

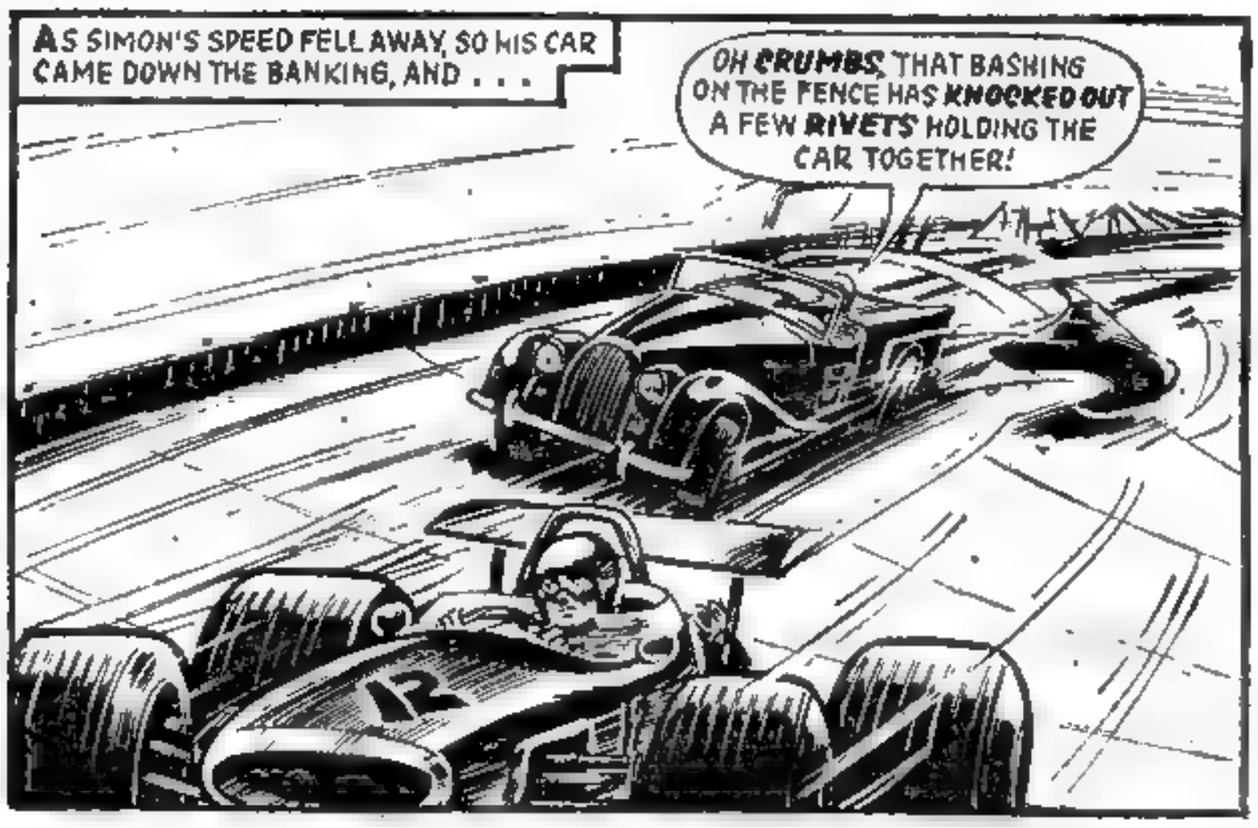
HIS CAR DISINTEGRATING AROUND HIM, SIMON RACED TOWARDS THE FINISHING LINE!

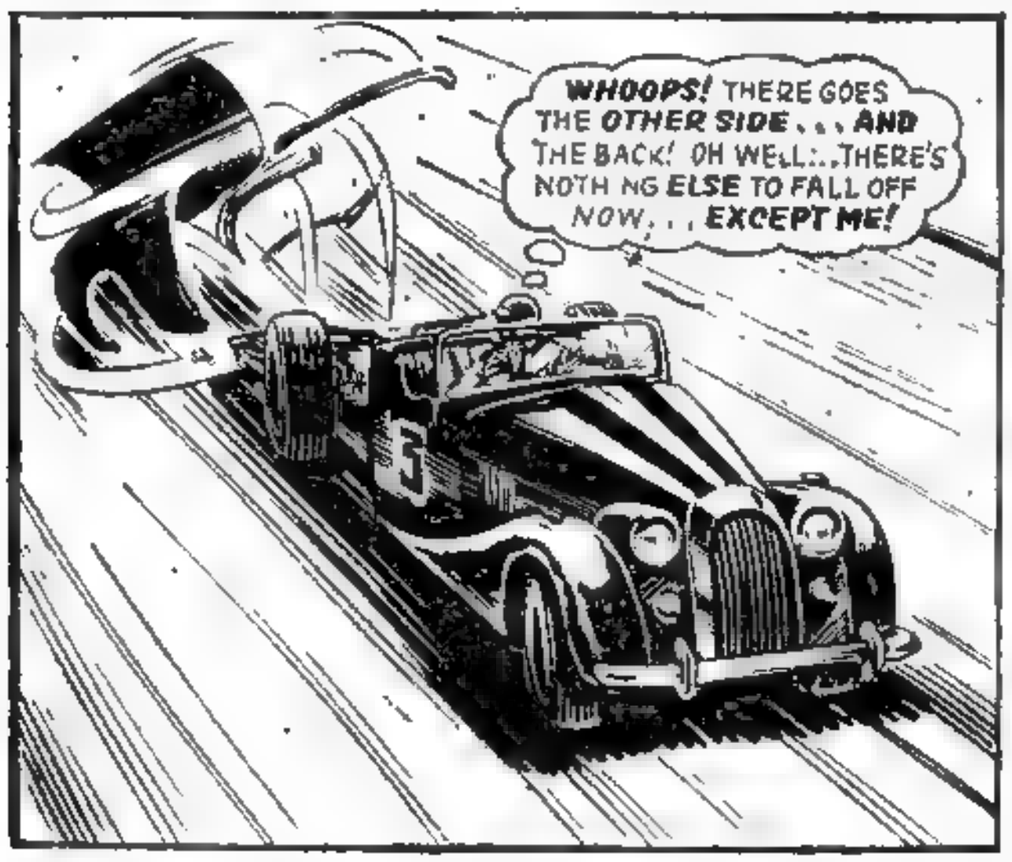


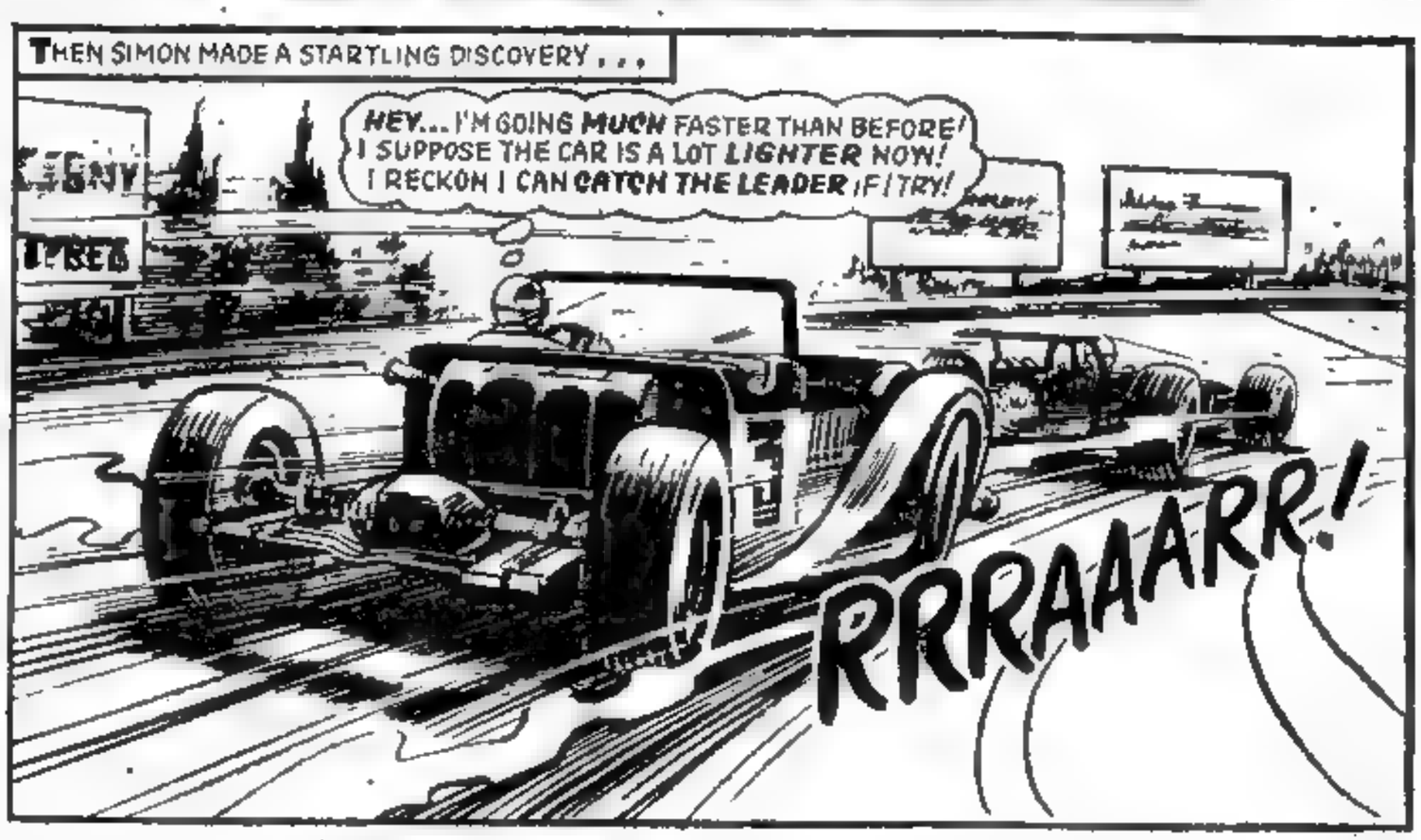
Simon Starr, a racing driver, and his inventor pal "Brainbox" Cox entered the Fullerton 500, a motor race held in America. A series of crashes among the other cars put Simon in the lead, until, on the last lap . . .

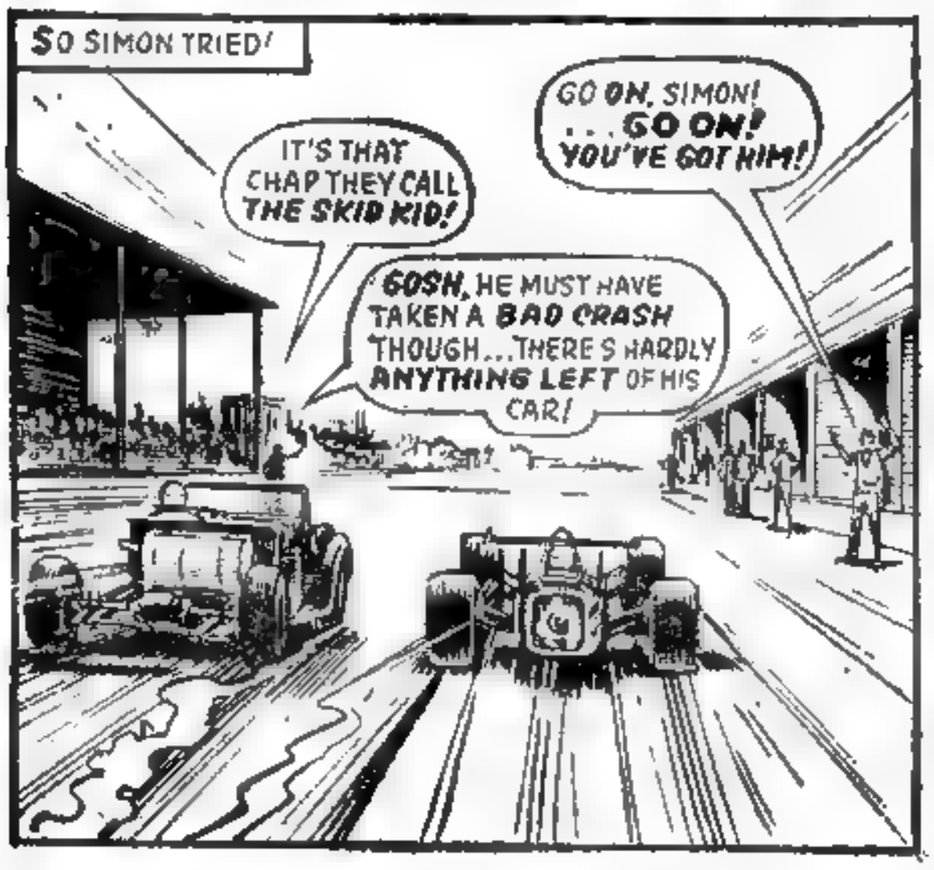
THE SKID KIDS

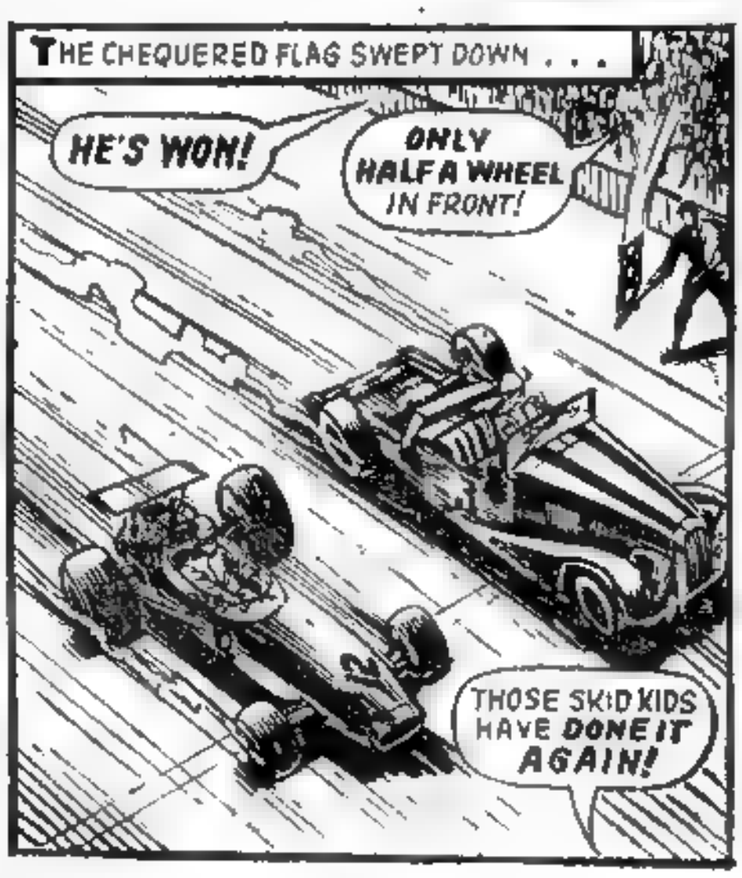


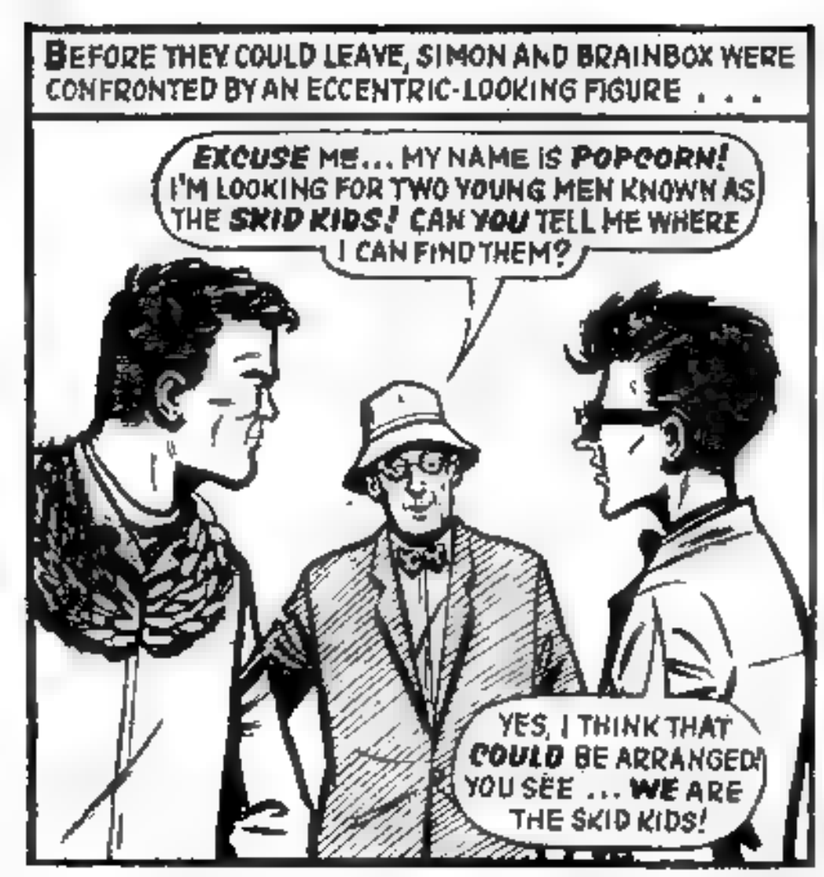


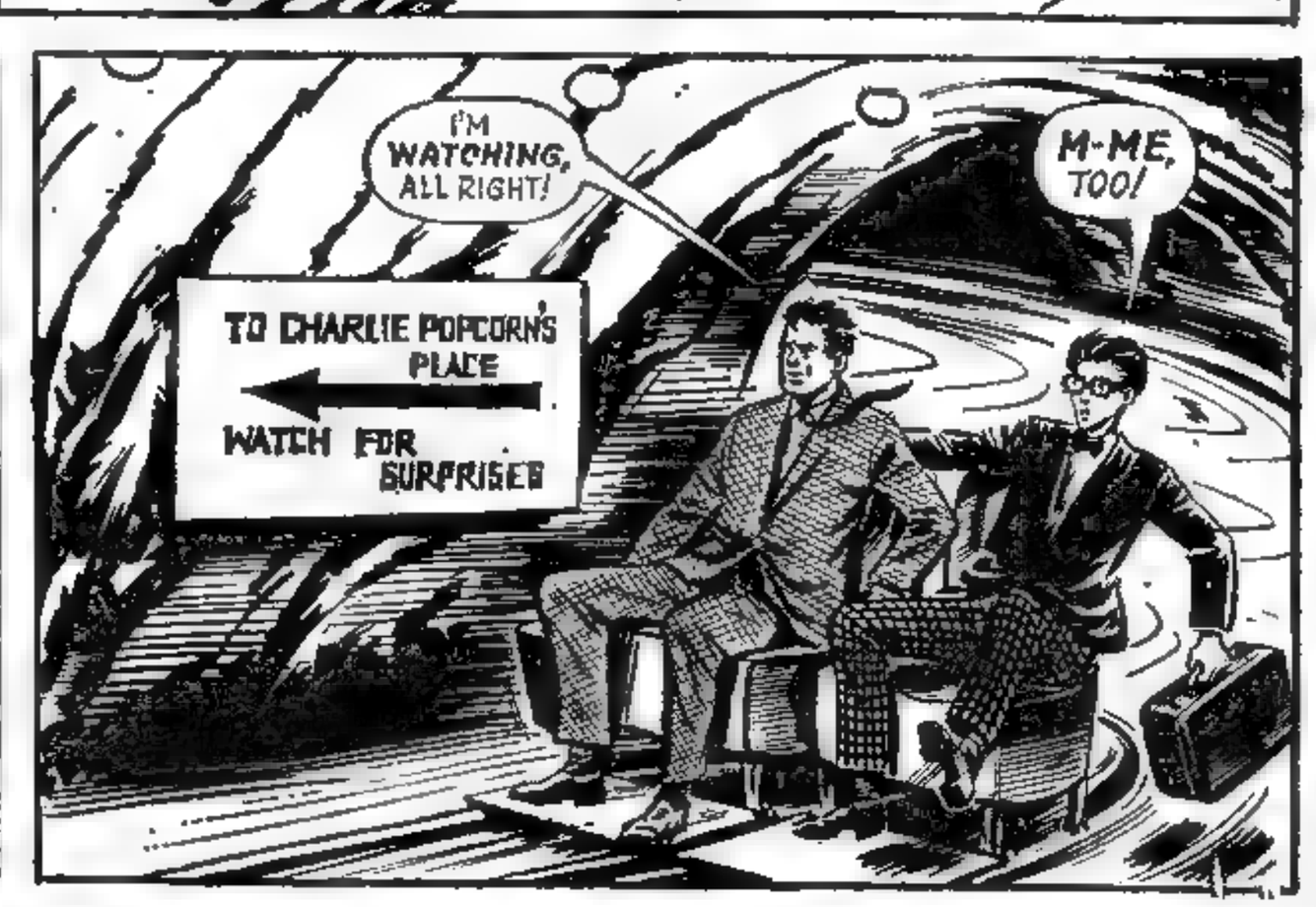








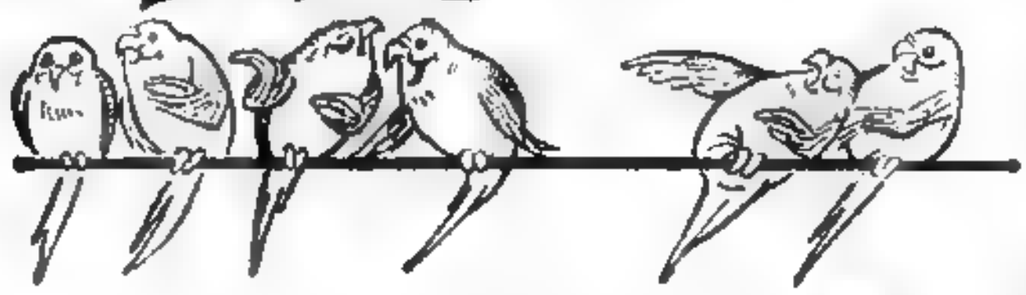


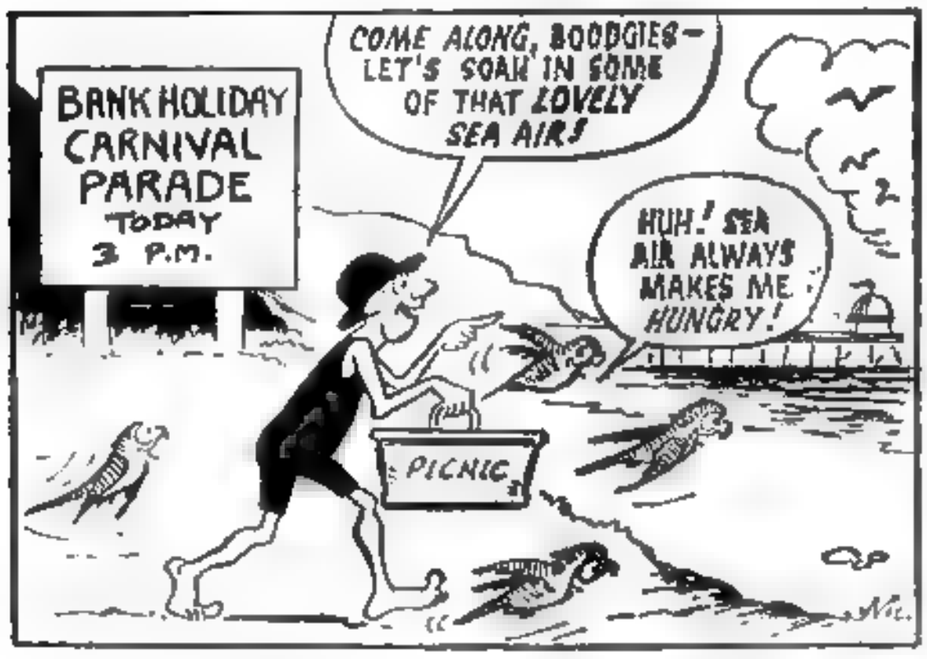


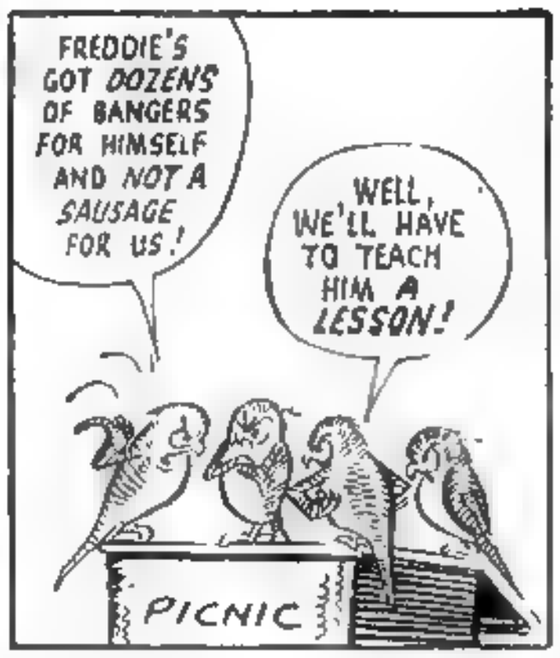
THE NEXT EPISODE PROMISES TO BE FAR FROM UNEVENTFUL — READ ON THIS COMING SATURDAY!

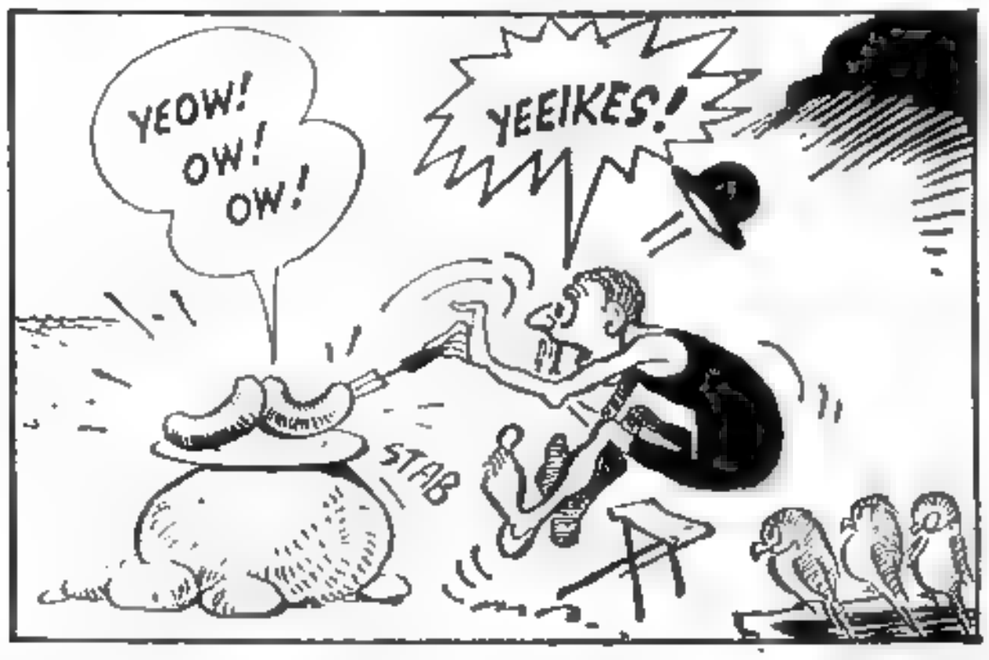
THE BOODGIES DON'T STAND ON CEREMONY WHEN THEY DECIDE TO PESTER FREDDIE AT A CARNIVAL PARADE!

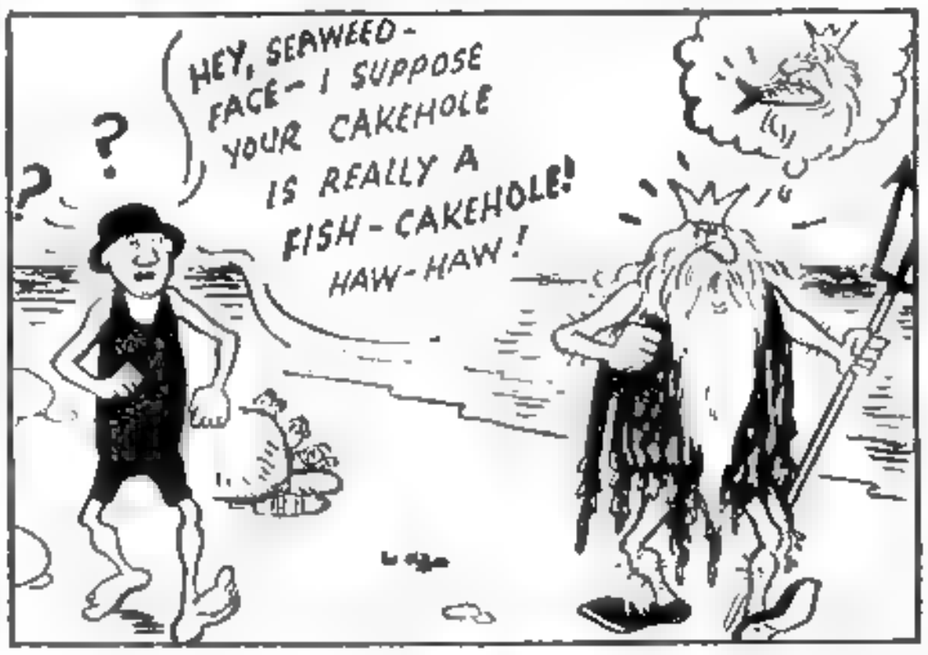
FREDDIE 'Parrot-Face' DAVIES

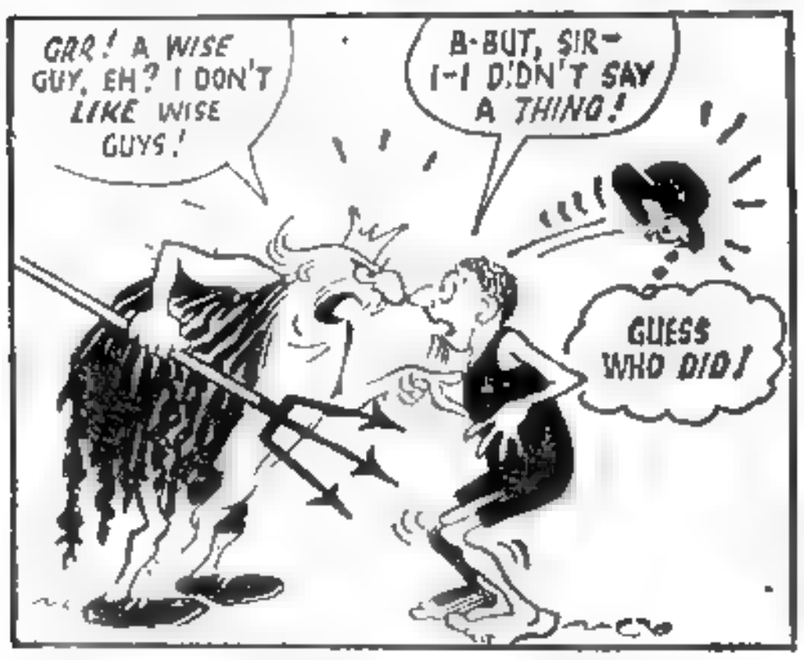


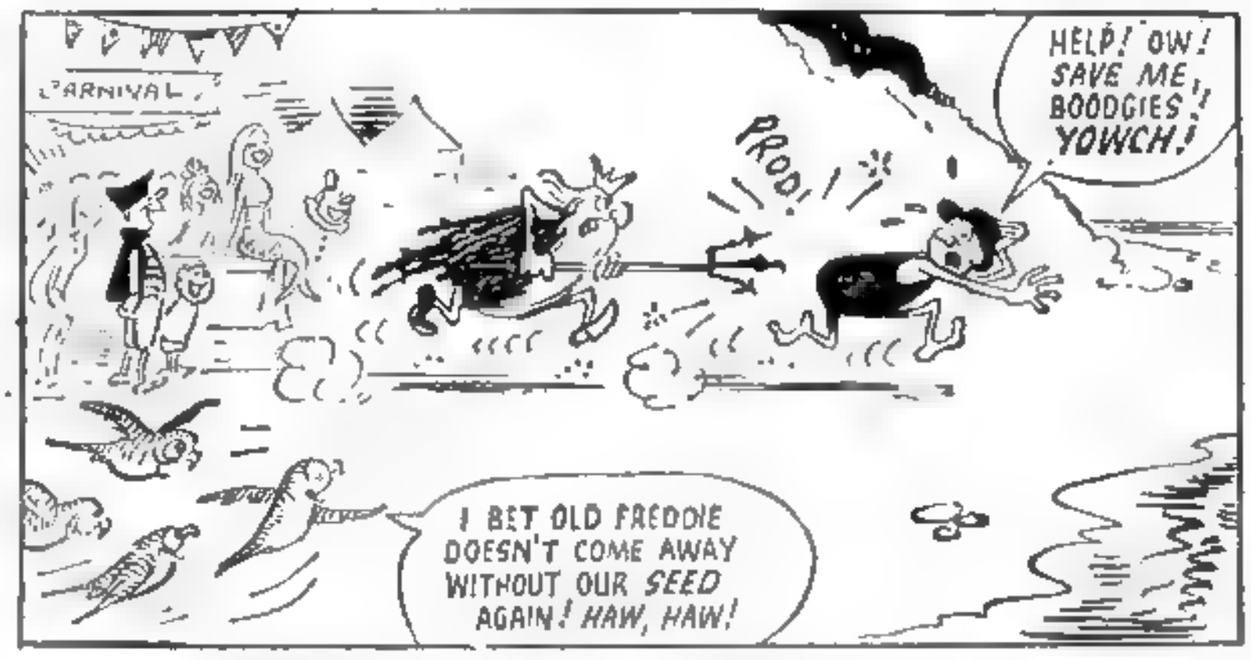












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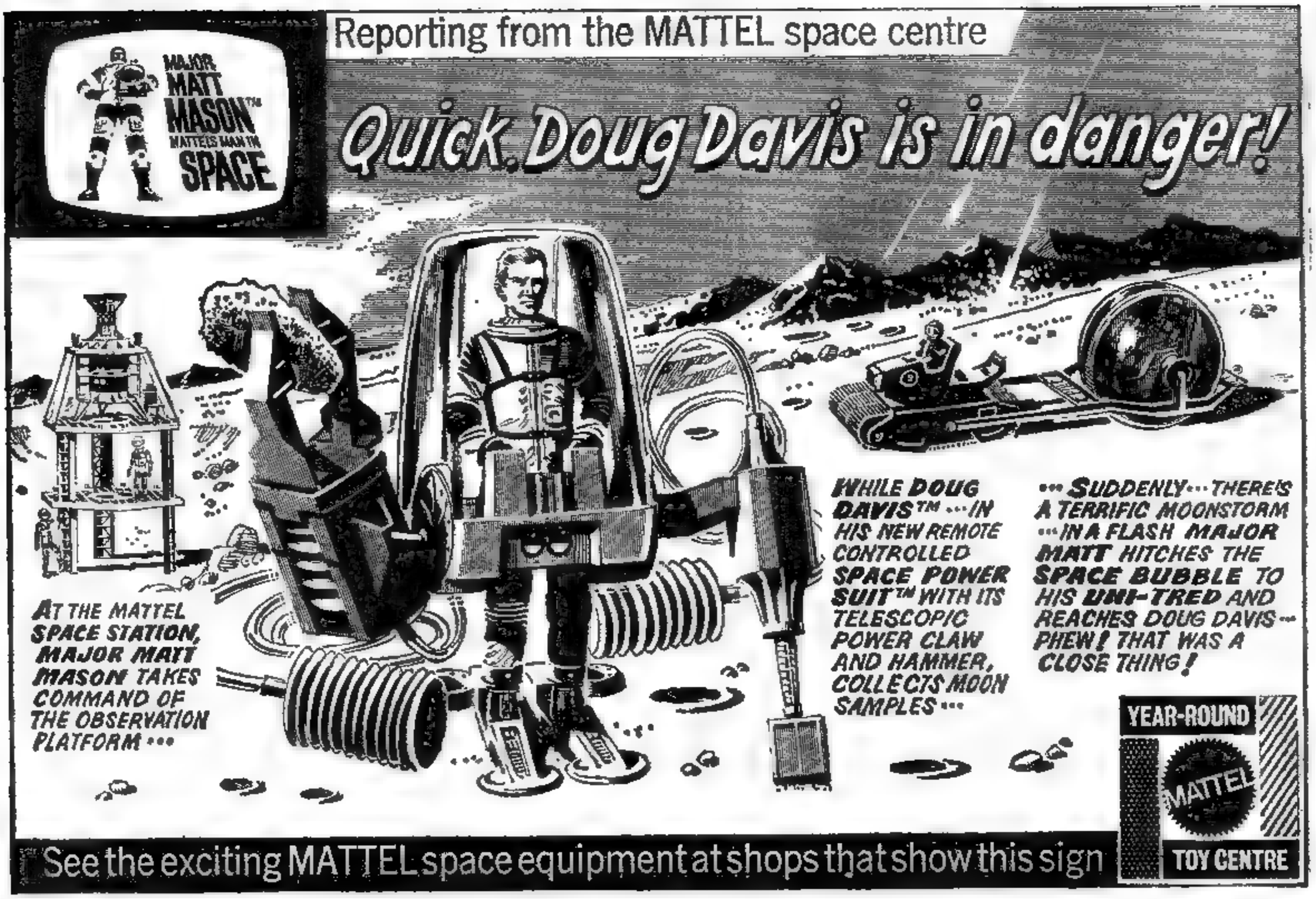
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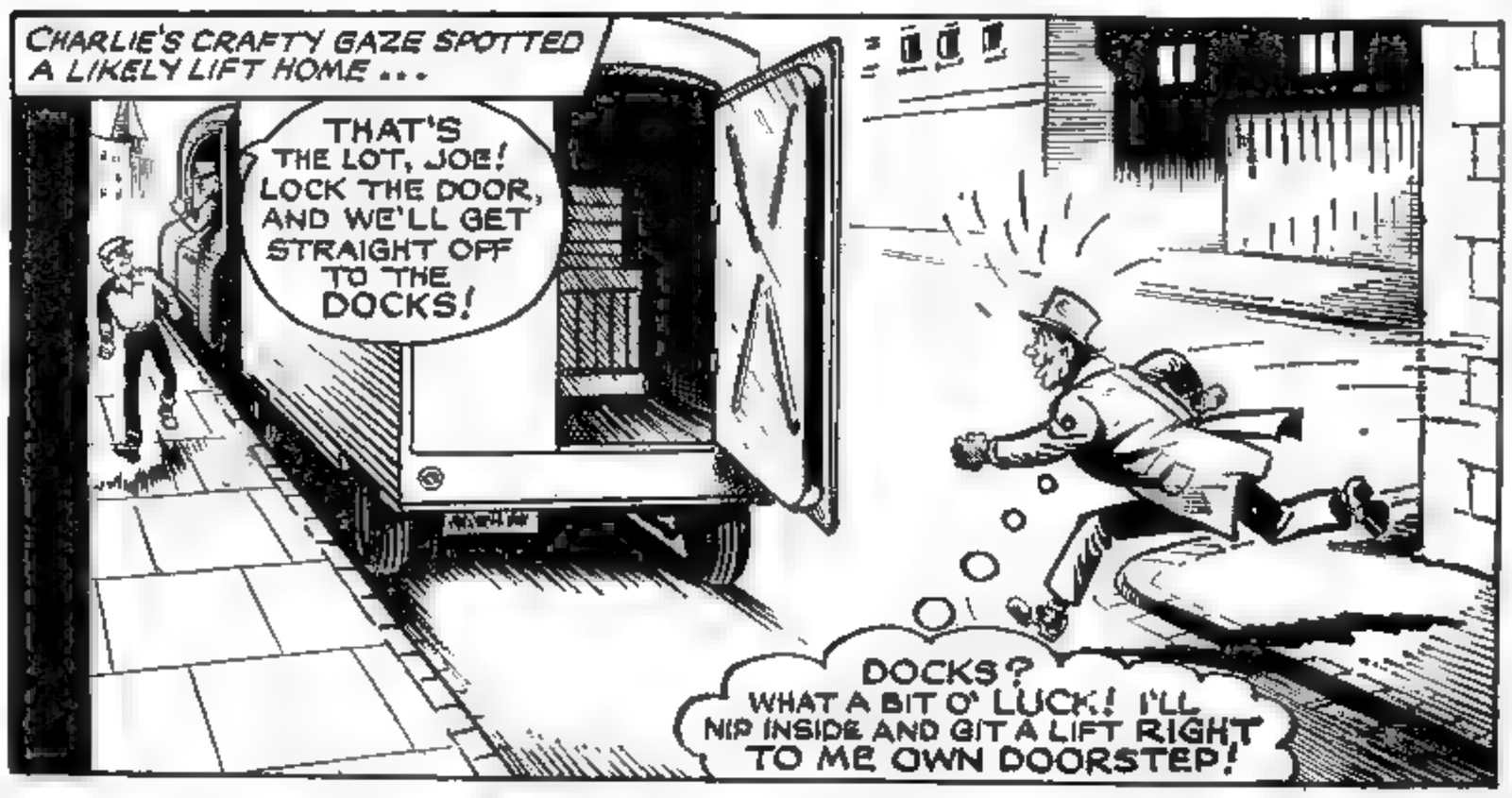

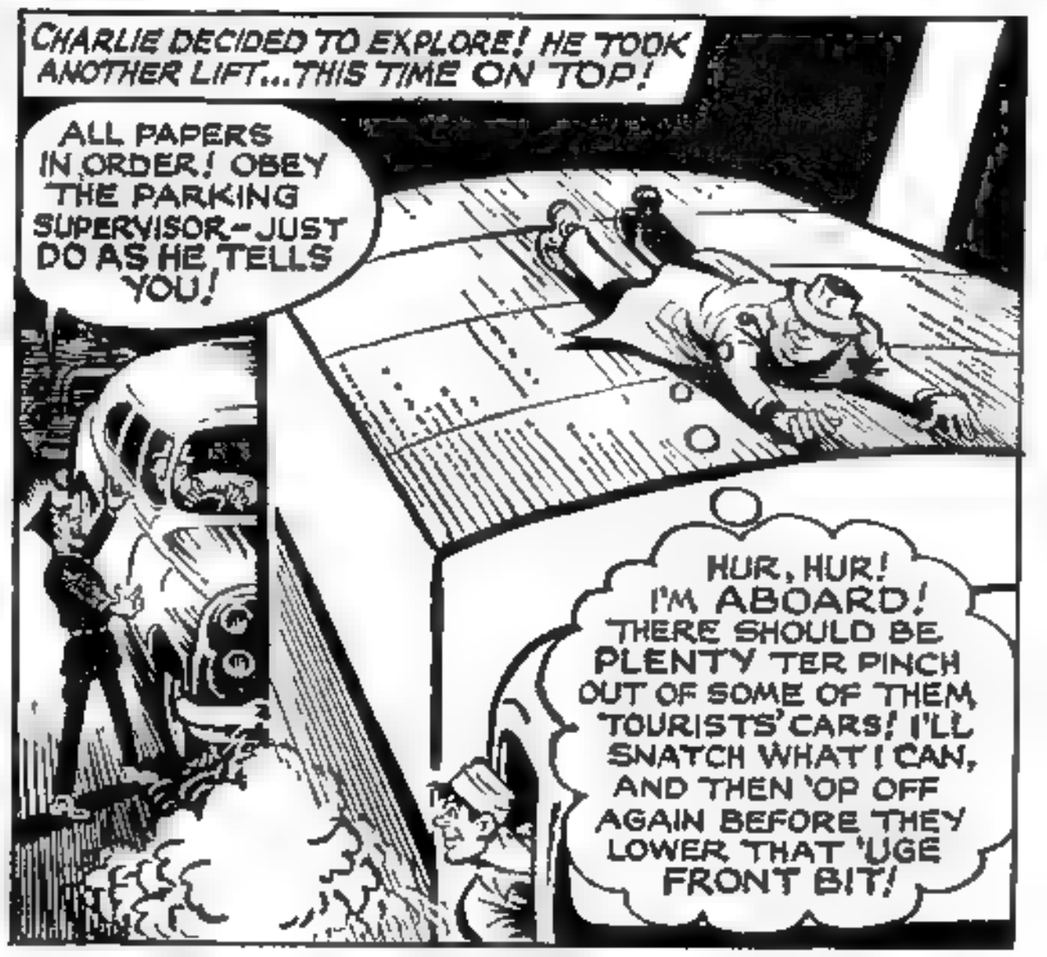

PEACE HOPED TO SAIL AWAY FROM HIS PURSUERS BY CLIMBING UP THE SHIP'S RIGGING!

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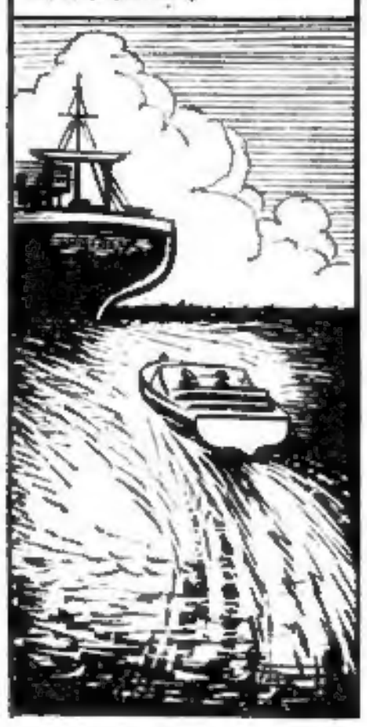

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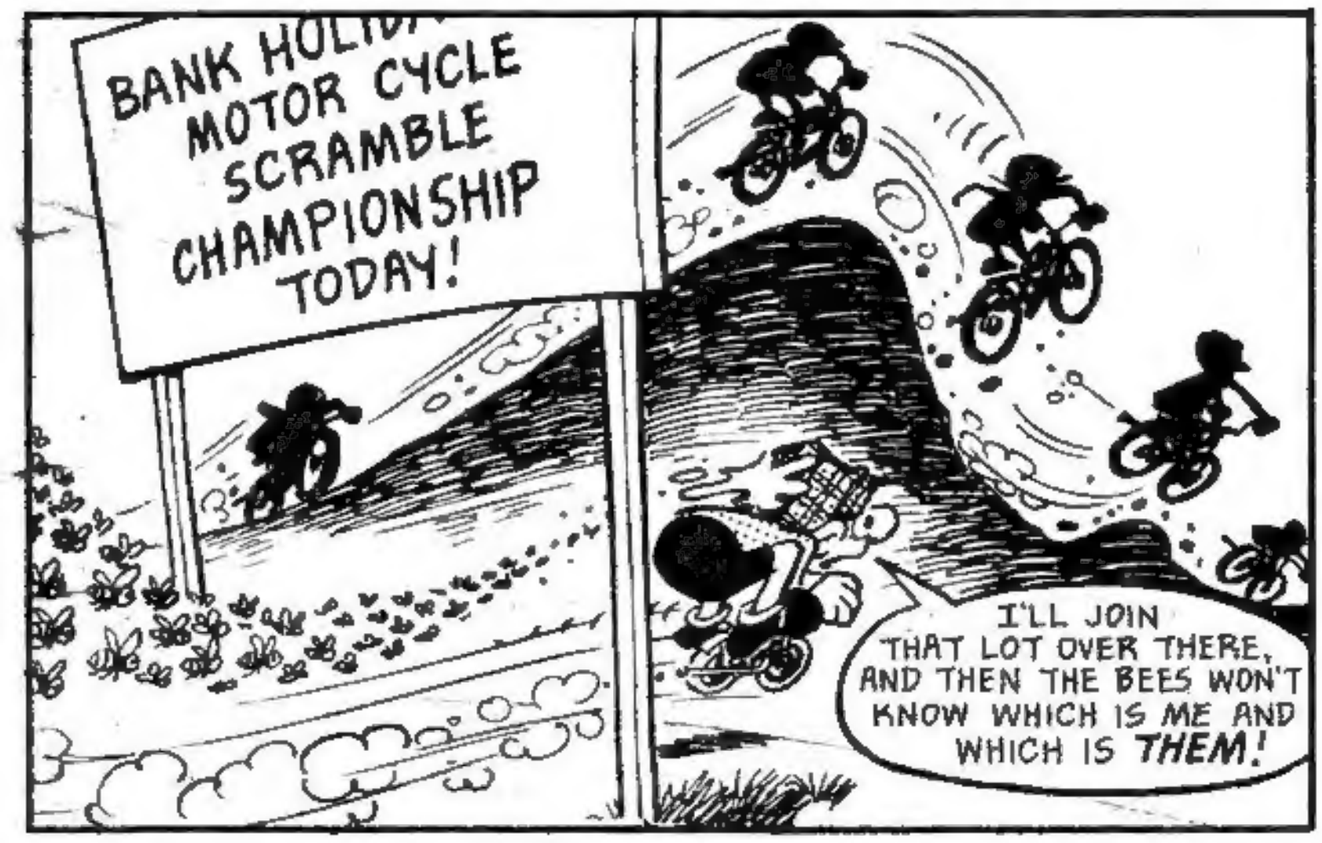

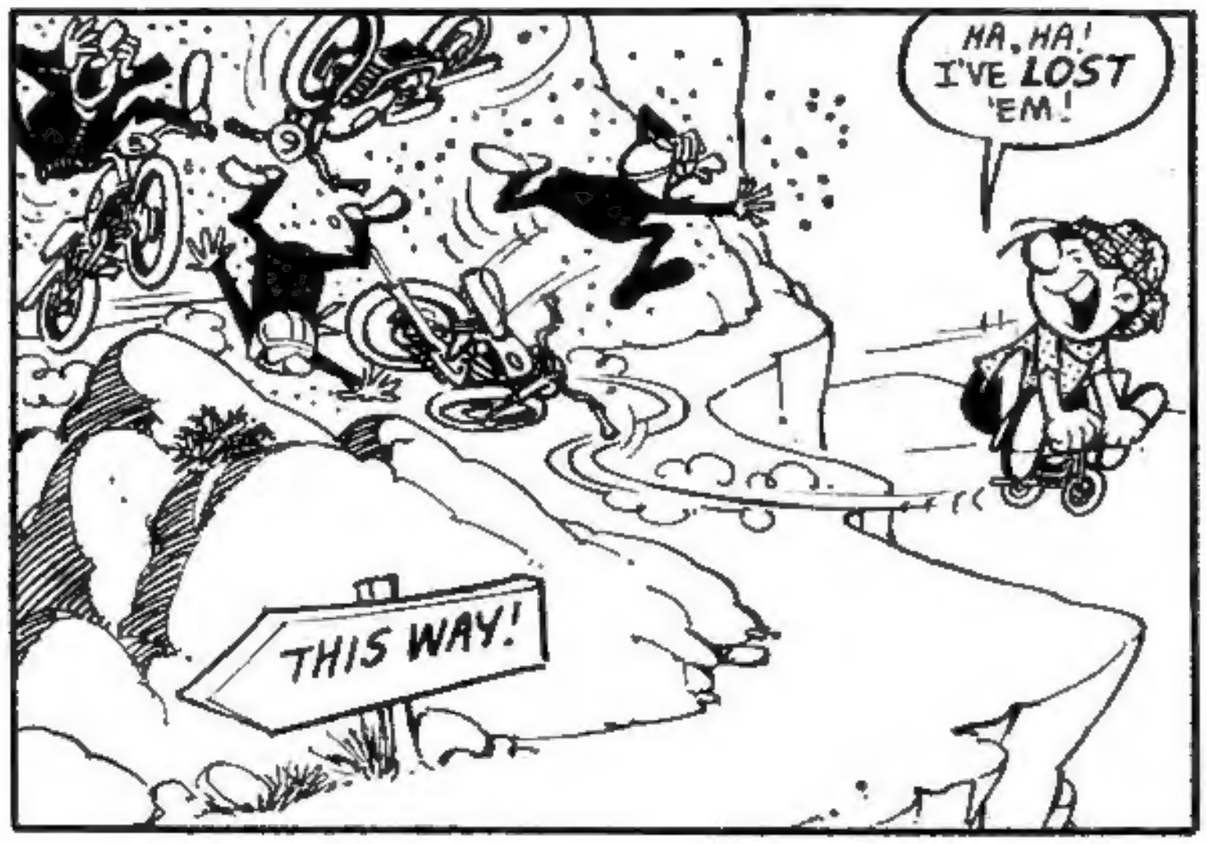

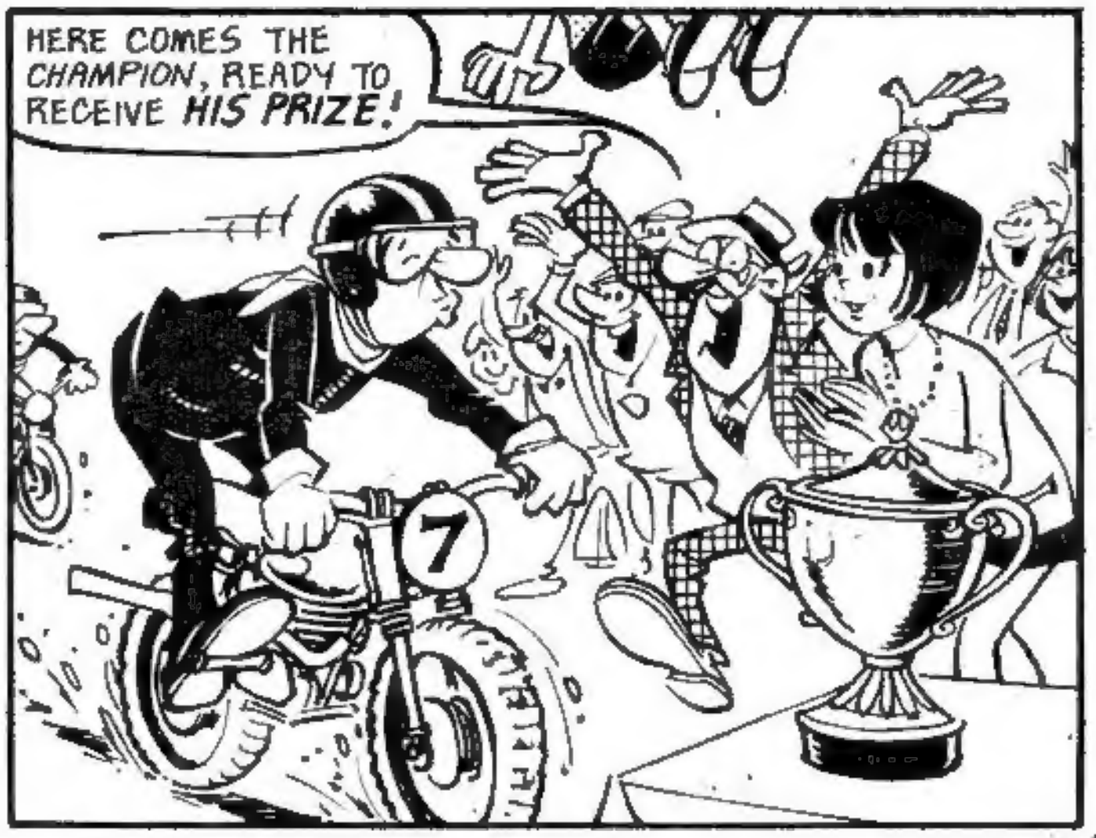

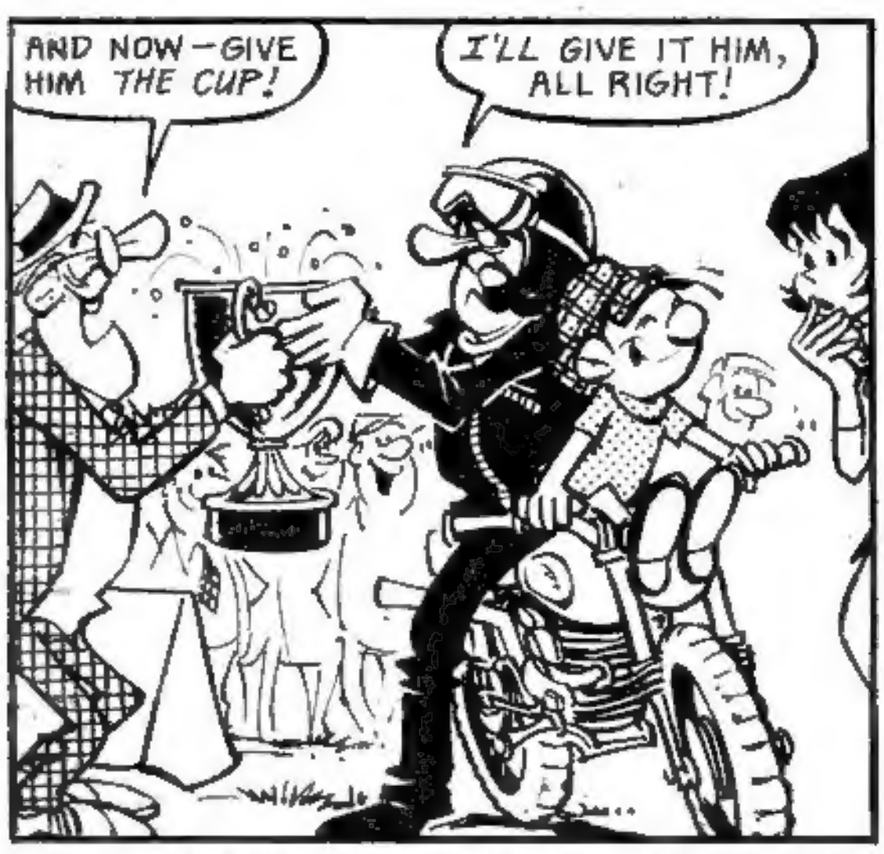

BUSTER'S IN FOR A ROCKY TIME WHEN HE DREAMS ABOUT STONEHENGE THIS COMING SATURDAY!

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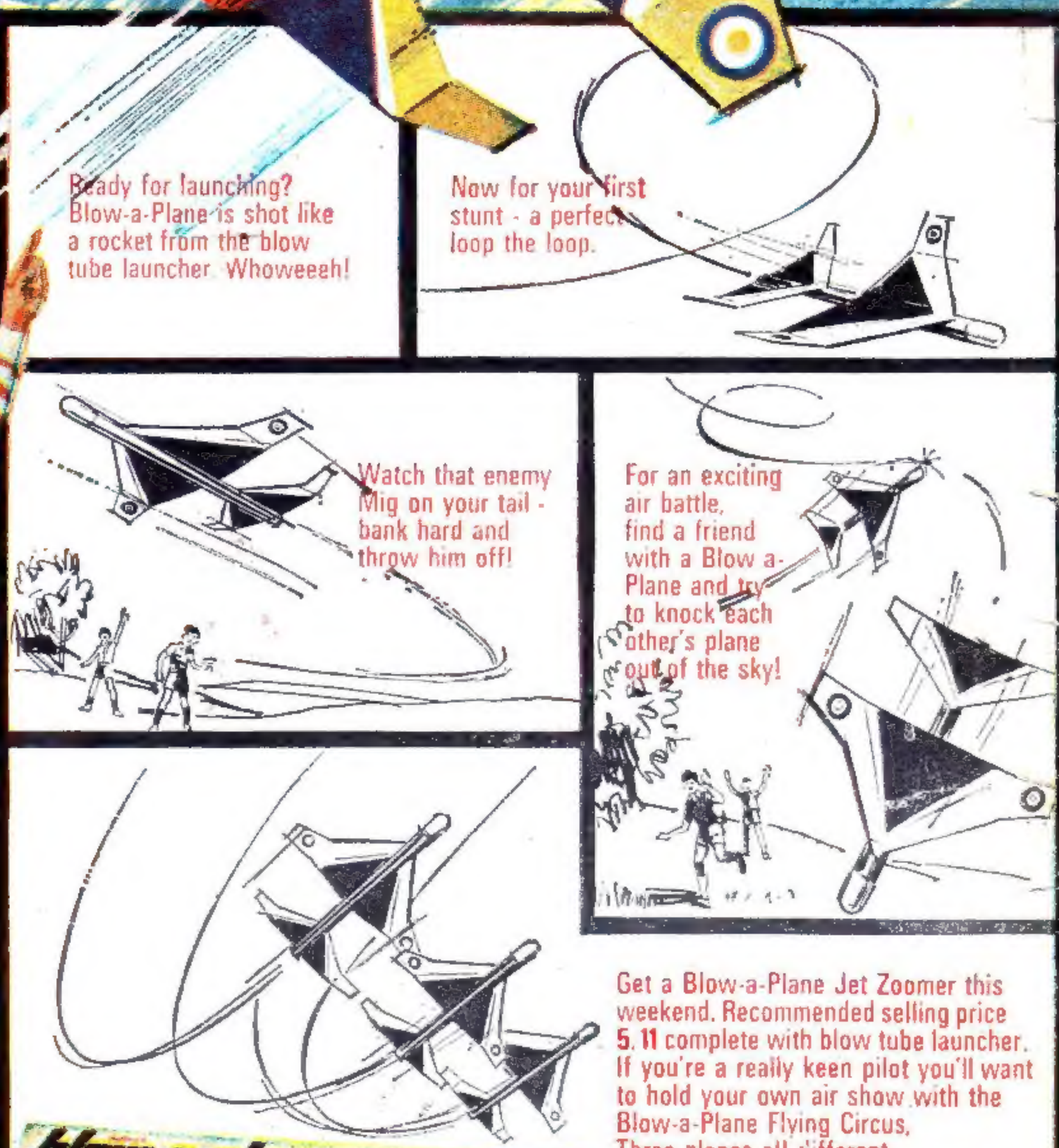

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